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Detective Sergt Gray in Company with Sergt Shirkey we continued the search for Dango. and learned that. he was here about a month ago But has not been seen lately also learned that Sylvester moved his furniture out last Saturday in a Van with the name on it of Bontempo Van Co. of Newark N J. we then went to Newark Police Headqtr. and Sir Company with Detective Fallon to Bontempo home at 123 Prospect St. Mrs Bontempo said the furniture was transported to Schenectady N. Y. Sergt Shirkey was to continue the search from there.

Lieut a Saffran

Feb 24. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Section of the City from 7. A. m to 6. P. m

Lieut a Saffran

Feb 24. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited. The Endress Motor Co garage on Park ave. and Examined a large Black Sedan Car E 905-47. That was reported. as having a running Board damaged. Ira Vail one of the Salesmen told me. That this Car had an accident with another. Car owned by a man named Philip Suppers of martine ave. This Collision occured on monday afternoon near. Smalleys quarry on Somerset St. The running board on the left side was damaged as well as the left side fenders The Car was a large Black Buick Sedan. and I do not think it was. Concerned in the accident on Route 29.

Lieut a Saffran

Feb 24. 1932

Detective J Denny went at 9.30 P. m to the home of Mrs Robinson of 946 Central ave. In response to a Call from her. That she had noticed a man in her rear yard near the porch. He had rang the door bell. and when Mrs Robinson answered it he said he was looking for a Mr King. who lived nearby. There is a family by that name two doors away. and while I was obtaining a Description of him. officer Wingenroid brought the fellow back to the house. from Kings house

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Feb 24. 1932 His name is Albert Hodson and he is well known here. He has a good reputation. and told us that he was instructed by the relief Committee on Dew St to visit Mr Kings house in the Evening and look over a plastering job that he wanted to have done. as we were Satisfied with his Explanation we allowed him to go back to town. Mrs Robinson was well pleased that we located this fellow and allayed her fears.

Lieut a Saffran

Feb 24. 1932 Detective J Denny reports at 2 P.m. Mrs Northern of 32 Elm Place reported to him that just about noon a man called at her home and wanted to rent her garage which was Idle. She told him he could rent it. and the price would be five Dollars per month. He said he would be back later with his Car. and asked her if she could change a twenty Dollar bill. She said she could and produced the money. Instead of tendering her the bill. he handed her a Check. for twenty dollars. and asked for fifteen dollars in change telling her to keep the five dollars for the rent after he left. She became suspicious and took the Check to the bank. They told her it was Worthless This man who Signed his name as walter a Olsen was about 5 ft 6 tall. and Slender Build. Fair Complex apparently a Swede. and was wearing a dark. overcoat and a light brown hat. He was about 25 years old.

Lieut a Saffran

Feb 24. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Daniel Cardwell of 1242 Arlington Ave on a warrant from Elizabeth Charged with the unlawful Sale of Liquor.

Lieut a Saffran

Feb 25: 1932 Detective E. mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Section of the City from 8 a.m to 6 p.m

Deist a Saffron

Feb 25: 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty on Feb 26th as his Day off.

Deist a Saffron

Feb 25: 1932 Detective J Denny investigated report that the following houses had been Entered or attempted to have been Entered during the night - 1277 woodland ave. owned and occupied by Henry B. Irw Hall 1159 woodland ave owned and occupied by Arnold Schwartz. and 1060 Rahway Road owned by Sigfried Arend. I learned that about 3:15 a m this morning a Burglar pried open a Kitchen window at the arens home and crawled through into the house. a couple of small dogs made

house Entered

such a commotion that Mrs Arend threw on all the Lights. and she saw the intruder run from the house. and over through the woods. She described him as of a Medium Build. and wearing a brown hat - and brown overcoat. He did not touch anything in the house. At about 3-30 a. m Mr & Bobpund father in-Law of Arnold Schwartz of 1159 woodland ave. heard one of his dogs Barking in the house. and he got up and turned on Some of the Lights. They quieted down after awhile and he did not hear or See anybody. at about Moantime however. he noticed a Kitchen window raised slightly - and upon looking Closer he observed that an attempt had been made to pry open a Kitchen window. But it had not been successful - a three quarter straight jimmy had been used.

Deist a Saffron

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Detective J Denny investigated a report at 345 a m at the home of Mrs Henry B. New Hall of 1277 Woodland ave. She stated she was awakened by a noise in her bed room and upon looking around she saw a man with a dim flashlight in his hand standing near her. He told her very quietly and gentlemanly to remain quiet and hand over her money. She said she had none with her and then he asked her where her husband was she pointed to another room and he Entered there and told Mr New Hall to remain quiet and no harm would befall him. He then asked Mr New Hall for his money and he pointed to a tin Box on a table. The thief reached into the Box and took out the Seventy Dollars that was in it. as he started to walk out of the room he noticed an automatic army type revolver on a table and placed it in his pocket. That was all he took from Mr New Hall. as he left he warned Mr New Hall to remain quiet and he then departed no one seen where he went to. Mr New Hall did describ him as 5 ft 11 tall about 28 years old. Clean sharp Cut features soft spoken Easy going and wearing a light brown soft hat and a brown overcoat. This man fits the description of the thief who Entered the Barn home over the line in Raritan township about four weeks ago. He wore gloves all the time. That he was in New Halls and that accounts for the absence of any prints.

Henry B. New Hall. House Entered

Evict a Saffran

Feb 25-1932

Detective J Denny and officer E Flynn investigated a Call from Joseph Cashin janitor of the Apartment building at 609 Madison ave. Stating that Some one had Entered an apartment in the building We learned the lock on the door of the apartment 6 2, on the Third floor occupied by Miss Helen Mullin had been forced and Some one had searched throughout her rooms. A Cameo pin about 2 in diameter Ladies head and Chain around her neck with diamond chip Valued at $25.00 and

Apartment was Entered

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a String of pearls with a Safety Catch Valued at $25.00. were taken. Cashin Spoke to this thief at about 1.30 P.M. in the front Hallway. He asked if a young girl named Davies was living on the third floor with an older woman and when Cashin told him he did not think so he said he would go up and look. Cashin did not follow him and he probably Entered the Apartment then. He described him as 5 ft 9 tall. about 35 years old. medium build. dark hair. Sallow Complexion dark. wore a soft hat, and wore a dark overcoat, and looked and Spoke like an Italian. He did not handle much in the house so we did not get any fingerprints.

Detct A Saffron

Feb 25. 1932

Baby Case.

Detective J Denny reports that the Steward of the Beavers Club. on Church St. notified Sergt Nolan at 10.45 P.M. and said that a man came to the door and asked him to phone Police Headqts and inform them that a Small Baby was left alone in the rear of an open touring Car. and was Crying Continually. Officer Mansfield and I went over there and found Tony Concilio of 907 North ave. Standing alongside of a large Studebaker touring Car License I-13237 and holding a Small baby in his arms. He said that as he was passing by this Car which was parked on the Easterly Side of Church St. about one hundred feet North of East Third St. he heard the baby Crying. and observed it all bundled up in blankets reposing on the rear Seat of this touring Car. He then asked the Steward of the Beavers Club. to phone Headqts. which he did. and he & Concilio picked up the baby in his arms and held it upon our arrival. Officer Mansfield took the Child and we brought it to the Muhlenberg Hospital where they will keep it for the night. It was a white female Child about three Months old. It was fully clothed with good plain Clothes and wrapped neatly in a blue and a pink blanket pinned with Safety pins. Concilio did not See

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anyone in the vicinety of the car. as he approached the owner of the touring car I-13937 NJ William Miller of North Plainfield was brought to Headqts. and he said that he left his car on Church St at 10 P.m. and went into the Eagles Club to bowl. at 10.45 P.m he came out. and noticed a crowd about his car. They told him that a policeman had found a youngster in the rear of his car. He said he knew nothing at all about the child.

Baby Case.

Detct a Gaffney

Feb 25. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Miss Linda Tabb. of 13 Crescent Ave. a School teacher called Headqts at 9 P.m. and asked if there was anyway of finding out the user of phone 6-05-38. I called up information and also the managers office in Newark and they both said this was the number of a private phone and they were not allowed to divulge any information concerning it. Miss Tabb. complained of being annoyed continually by some one using this phone one day last week. some one sent six helpers to her house asking for work. They were supposed to come from a Relief agency. Various other calls have come to her and she will stop down. and make a complaint at Headqts. Her phone number is 6-4969 J.

Detct a Gaffney

Feb 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m. and at the request of Chief Flynn. I brought Mr & Mrs Albert La Plant of 119 East 2nd St. to Police Headqts.

Detct a Gaffney

Feb 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to South Plainfield to see Chief Mc Carthy about the Robberies that took place recently in the hill Section of the City. He had about the same information that we had.

Detct a Gaffney

Feb 26. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Lieut A Saffren

Feb 26. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr Manning at the Consumers Coal yard. and he informed me that during the night some one climbed over a gate on the Third St side of the yard and carried away two bags of Coal. Bags and all. I could not locate them. But questioned the families accoss the Street and warned them not to go on Mr Manning propaty

Lieut A Saffren

Feb 26. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited all the apartment houses. and informed the Janitors and the Superintendents to watch Closely for a man described previously as an apartment house thief he appears to be an Italian and I learned that he wanted to go into the Central Court apartment about noontime but was prevented by Michael Gill the janitor. He was also at the Crescent Court Build about a week ago.

Lieut A Saffren

Feb 26. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he Continued the investigation of the Identity of the abandoned Child found on Church St. in a Car last night I visited the Board of Health. office and the Hospital but could not get anyone to Identify her.

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Lieut A Saffren

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Henry Irw Hall notified me that the Serial number of the 45 Cal revolver Stolen from his home was C-138921 and was purchased from the New York Sporting Goods Co. in New York September 1925. I Sent out an alarm over the teletype System regarding it.

Lieut A Saffren

Feb 27. 1932

Detective Denny continued the investigation to ascertain the identity of the abandoned child found on Church St a few nights ago I interviewed several families in the vicinity of Clinton ave where an illegitimate Child had been staying but could not establish as yet whether the Child is still there or not.

Lieut a Sapproon

Feb 27. 1932

Detective J Denny and officer Mansfield went to the home of Irving Jones of 316 East 3rd St. in response to an Excited phone call from him that Some one was going to shoot him. and learned that Jones had Arrived home a little Earlier that was Expected and found Mach. Tomlinson a boarder and his wife in Tomlinsons room. an argument started and Tomlinson hit Jones on the Side of his head and Jones said that he then threatened to shoot him with a Shot gun as his wife sided with the star boarder. and Jones locked the door on his the wife. But backed down on making a Complaint we advised him to get rid of the boarder and harmony might prevail in there home.

Lieut a Sapproon

Feb 27. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr William Lapkowitz of 119 Watching ave. That last Tuesday February 23rd. he left his Helbros Superb 15 jewel wrist watch Valued at $37.50 lying on the desk in the Store while he waited on two Customers A Short while after they left. he missed his watch. He does not Know who the Customers are I Checked up on the Drier pawn Shop but it is not there.

Lieut a Sapproon

Feb 27. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to See Mrs Conners of 999 Hillside Ave about a Marmon Car. She owns and also to check up on her Chauffeurs in Reference to Burgess as I had information he was Employed by two old women that had a Marmon Car. Mrs Conners had the same Chauffeur. Since 1916.

Lieut A Saffron

Feb 27. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty the Remainder of the day in the business Section of the City till 10. P. m.

Lieut A Saffron

Feb 27. 1932

Detective E mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and business Sections of the City from 9 a.m to 10 p.m

Lieut A Saffron

Feb 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Alexander Crane of 1321 South Second St. informed him That She met a former Sewing Machine Salesman that was well acquainted with her husband and he told her that he had seen him recently in Pittsfield Mass. and that he was working for the Singer Sewing machine Co there. He thought he had lost his License up there and was working in a Car with a close friend of his Jerry Mc Aboon. He may be using a fictitious name as he wrote a letter to the Superintendent at the Clinton Home about five weeks ago. And signed his name as Edward Amesbury. 22 Penn St. Pittsfield Mass. This is probably the address of the Singer Sewing machine office in Pittsfield. Mrs Crane says Caution should be used in inquiring for her husband as the agents stick well to one another and advance money to the one inquired for to enable him to flee. This happened in Boston while she was with him.

Lieut A Saffron

Feb 28. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday Feb 28 as his Day off.

Lieut A Soffron

Feb 28. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday Feb 28. as his Day off.

Lieut A Soffron

Feb 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City all Day and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut A Soffron

Feb 29. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Served Subpoenas on Carl. Straub. Margaret Wolf. and Mrs Henry to appear against officer O Driscoll

Lieut A Soffron

Feb 29. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray arrested Charles Lee of 489½ West 4th St. on a warrant issued by the Recorder of Scotch Plains.

Lieut A Soffron

Feb 29. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray and Lieut A Soffron went to investigate a report made by Mrs Randolph of 741 East Grant St. Stating that during the night some one tried to Enter her home. We found a Rocking Chair under a windaw in the rear part of the house. This Rocker was taken from the front Porch. We found marks of a jimmy on the lower sash. The window was not opened. They gained Entrance to the Cellar through a window. That was left open for air. But got no further. Nothing was missing from the Cellar. Shoe prints of two men were found leading from the house to a Vacant lot to the west side of the house.

Lieut A Soffron

Feb 29. 1932

Detective E. mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Section of the City. from 9 a.m. to 6 Pm

Lieut A Saffron

Feb 29. 1932 Detective J Denny covered the residential Section during the Evening. and found conditions quiet there were no Suspicious Cars or persons that could not be accounted for.

Lieut A Saffron

March 1st 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Mrs Elliott Barrows. of 739 W. 8th St that while Children are going and Coming from the Hubbard School. They ride there bicycle on the side walk. past his house often times run off the side walk. and cut his sod between the walk. and Curb. I showed the letter to Sergt Birmingham. and he Said he would take care of it.

Lieut A Saffron

March 1. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Mrs Fankbergh of 670 W. 8th Street That when her daughter age 13½ years. Is on her way home from High School a man driving a new Chevrolet Car. with red wheels. and License plates keeps riding near her till She gets to Plainfield ave Hedges. The driver does not Say anything. But She is afraid of him. I advised her to take his License Number. and let us Know.

Lieut A Saffron

March 1. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he covered different parts of the City during the night and found conditions quiet and orderly.

Lieut A Saffron

March 1. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he went to Newark to Police Headqtrs on Special assignment

Lieut a Saffron

March 1. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks. and Business Section from 8 A.m to 6 P.m

Lieut a Saffron

March 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty March 2nd 1932 as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

March 2. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks. and Business Sections of the City from 8 A.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffron

March 2. 1932

Detective J Denny investigated a Call from a Citizen on Denot ave. That a couple of Suspicious Men were walking about the neighborhood and I located Joseph Burglin 326 Durham ave Metuchen N.J. and Charles Harris New Brunswick N.J. in a Green Sedan Car. License 1.Z-12-92 N.Y. They were out Soliciting orders for the Spraying of trees. and they had all the necessary Equipment in the rear of there Car. They had not done any work so far. and I instructed them to get a permit at Police Headqtrs. before they Started to work.

Lieut a Saffron

March 2. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he went to the Newark Headqtrs. on Special Detail and did not return until 11. P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

March 3rd 1932

Detective J Denny reports Mr Frank England of 18-15 West Eighth St. Arbor who is manager of the Mutual Store at 442 West Grant St showed me a threatening letter which he received the day before yesterday Demanding $50.00 Be placed at the Corner of Monroe ave and Sherman ave in an Envelope at 8.00 P.m. to night. The tone and text of this letter resembles the Moguiness letter of a couple of weeks age. I advised Mr England to drop an Envelope at this Corner at the appointed time and we would be readiness to seize anyone picking it up. officer Flynn and I recreted ourselves in a garage nearly and saw Mr England drop the Envelope and walk away just Previous to his coming we noticed a person with a grey overcoat and no hat hiding behind a tree across the Street near the high brush. We waited for about fifteen minutes before we saw a man with a grey overcoat and bareheaded come walking down Sherman ave and pick up the Envelope. he Continued East on Sherman ave. and after proceeding for about 150 feet. He tore open the Envelope and looked into it. We rushed out and Caught him and found the Envelope in his pocket. This young Mans name is Dominick Tombro and he lived at 341 McDowell St. He has been arrested here for breaking and Entering the old American Motors Factory. He is 17 years old. He insists that he noticed this Envelope. the handwriting and the writing in the letters Correspond in a great many details. We brought this boy to Police Headqts and placed him under arrest.

March 3. 1932

Lieut A Saffron

Detective E Mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 A.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut A Saffron

March 3. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr. Edward Rollerson called on the phone this Evening at 9.30. and Complained about some person or persons Entering a new house belonging to him at 917 Stelle ave. He says they habe Caused Considerable damage to the property and that he does not get any Police Protection He made a Complaint five weeks ago and has Called up since. But no one Seems to Know the Case.

Lieut a Saffron

March 3. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr E. K. Morse of 977 Belvidere Ave. Called up and Stated to me he was talking to a very Close friend of Mr Johnson of the firm of Johnson and Johnson in New Brunswick N.J. and. this man related Some of the Res which accured during the recent Robbery at Mr Johnsons home. The Decription and Actions of this Robbery were Similar in a great many respects to the burglar working in the Southeastern parts of the City. Mr Morse. thought that if we got in touch with the Police over there they might get Some further Clews.

Lieut a Saffron

March 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Rollerson. who is Building a new house at 917 Stelle Ave. Staking the boys are breaking windows. I found three windows size about 6x8 had been broken. I made a Canvas of the Vicinity but so far. have not found the guilty parties.

Lieut A Saffron

March 3. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Garnbergh. of 670 west 8th St. That a man driving Car # K 30235 NJ is annoying her Daughter age 13½ years old. while she is on her way home from High School. I stayed around the Vicinity from 1.45 P.m till 3.00 P.m. But failed to show up

Lieut a Saffron

march 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray and Captain Leorch answered a call to the Star Dress Co at 501 Richmond St stating that there was trouble there after we arrived the manager told us. he expected some trouble. and wanted try to avoid it by telling the Employees in our presence that he would have to Cut there pay in order to Continue to work. after he made the speech they all went back to work.

Deint a Saffron

March 4. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he remained in the Vicinity of Mr Rallerson house at the Corner of Stelle ave and Field ave from 2.20 P.m to 4.50 P.m. But did not See anyone trespass on his Property.

Deint A Saffron

March 4. 1932 Detective J Denny Secured a lengthy Statement from Dominick Fambro now under arrest Covering the incidents pertaining to the black-mailing Charge lodged against him Fambro implicated two other boys about his own age.

Deint a Saffron

March 4. 1932 Detective E mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6. P. m

Deint a Saffron

March 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray questioned Several more boys in the presence of Mr Floyd Principal of the Hubbard School and Could not learn anything further about the broken glass at 917 Stella ave I met Mr Edward Rallerson and told him. What I had done. also told him that the Scout Car would look after the house. He Seemed Satisfied

Deint a Saffron

March 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that he was around the High school from 1.45 P.m to 2.45 P.m. But did not see Car K 30 235 R J. that is supposed to bothe the Garnbergh girl.

Deint a Saffron

March 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray took a picture of a Colored man. Sent here by the Reading R.R. to Several people to see if they could Identify it as walter Dehn. who is wanted here. They could not Identify it

Deint a Saffron

March 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Miss Freeland a teacher in the Irving School. She Stated while her Car was Parked on Monroe ave. Some Boys Scratched the Side of her Car.

Deint a Saffron

March 5. 1932

Stolen tires

Detective J Denny investigated a Call from Michael Lysenko of 1100 East Front St. that on Wednesday night between midnight and Seven O'clock Thursday morning Some one Stole three tires from an old Ford Roadster Standing in his rear yard. Two of the tires were 1dw. 30 x 3½ Goodyear tires. and the other was Some what worn. and also a Goodyear 30 x 3½ The rims were also taken with these tires These rims would fit only the old Style Ford Cars.

Deint a Saffron

March 5. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m and was on Duty in the Business Sections of the City. till 10.15 P.m. and then toured the City in the Police Car. till 2 a.m. and found Everything Quiet.

Deint a Saffron

March 5. 1932

Detective J Denny passed motorist stopped at Grant St and Watchung Ave. at about 7.30 P.m and informed me that while he was in the Standard Gasoline Station on Vassellar ave in Bound Brook N.J. at 7.30 P.m. a man and a woman drove in with a Green Chevrolet Coupe and asked for the road to Englewood. They left in the hurry after picking up a road map The Car License was 197-C1 Penn. The man wore a light tan suit and a light Brown hat The woman wore a Dark Coat and a Brown hat

Lieut a Saffron

March 5. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Columbus Mansolino of 14.70 East 2nd St. and Gutly Farino of 231 Monroe ave. on a Charge of attempted Extortion. These two youths were partners of Dominick Tambro who attempted to Extort money from Mr Magumeri and Frank England. two storekeepers.

Lieut a Saffron

March 5. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8. a m to 10. P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

March 6. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P m and went to Potters Crossing with Charles Nagle of 10.19 West 6th St. to look over a Vacant house. That the Building Loan had there. Mr Nagle is Connected with and had a Mortgage on and Mr Nagle thought the Kidnappers of the Lindbergh Baby might use for a hide out But did not find anyone there and had not been used since the owners left it.

Lieut a Saffron

March 6. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray questioned Frank Penn age 14. years old. of 726 North ave. Brought to Police Headqtrs. By officer Mansfield for Stealing lead from Russells junk yard on Washington av He admitted that he and Augustine Albern age 11. years old of 736 St Marys ave went there for the purpose. Franks Father name is Joseph and mothers name is Mary. Augustines father name is Nicholas. his mother is dead.

Lieut a Sapporan

March 6. 1932 Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday the 6th Day of march as his Day off

Lieut a Sapporan

March 6. 1932 Detective E mc Garry was off Duty Sunday the 6th Day of march as his Day off.

Lieut a Sapporan

March 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray went to the High School at 2.15 P.m Cloching for Car 726 35 RJ the driver is annoying Miss Farnbergh on her way home from School. He failed to Show up.

Lieut a Sapporan

March 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 7.30 P.m. and then toured the residental Section of the City till 2. a.m. and found conditions quiet.

Lieut a Sapporan

March 7. 1932 Detective E mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Sapporan

March 7. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Davis of the Evergreen School informed him that Some time after Friday noon Seven Basketballs were taken from a box in the basement. The Balls are placed in this Box after the Various Classes are through using them and then it is locked a boy by the name of Jubano was the last known person at the Box. and he claimes they were all there at noon on Friday. There were no Signs of anyone breaking into the building.

Lieut A Soffron

March 7. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Harlow on East Front St. over the Chop Suey Restaraunt. and she informed me that she put her boy William out of the house. on Wednesday. and She has not heard of him Since. He had a Motor Cycle. at one time. But she does not think he has it now.

Lieut A Soffron

March 7. 1932

Store robbery

Detective J Denny interviewed Mrs Minty 613 West 3rd St. reference to the Robbery at the Store on Saturday night. Method of doing this job indecated that the thief was familiar with the house and Store. She had a young Colored boy Walter Hamilton working for her Some time ago but I have not Seen him as yet.

Lieut A Soffron

March 8. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report from Mr Pfeiffer. the Principal of the Marion School that. on last Friday night he left a tin box in his office Closet Containing $10.00. Monday morning the money was gone. There was no Signs of a break in the Building. There was about 35 boy Scouts had a meting at the School on Friday night. and its possible one or two might have Stayed in the School after the rest of them went home.

Lieut A Soffron

March 8. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffron

March 8. 1932

Detective J Denny Continued the investigation of the disappearance of Seven basketballs from the Evergreen School. I questioned numerous boys And Girls at the School especially those having Charge of them. But could not get any lead toward their location.

Lieut a Saffron

March 8. 1932

Detective J Denny secured a Statements from two nurses at the Hospital and from the Bus driver William Peters Concerning the accident on Park ave near Laramie Road on Monday night. Peters however would not Sign his Statement. Saying that he was instructed not to do So. by Hugh Higgins a Supervisor.

Lieut a Saffron

March 9. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffron

March 9. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Bucher of 619 Park ave at the request and She informed me that some time during the night her grey Chevrolet Coupe with Red wire wheels License # 26845 N.J. was Stolen from a garage at the rear of Mr Hummels residence Corner of Arlington ave. and West Fifth St. She left the Car locked. But did not lock the doors of the garage. From her Conversation it appears that Some one has been using her Car quiet often during the nights without her permission as she has found the gas very low on Different occasions She suspects a former boarder by the name of Jack Wells. But thinks it is only taken for a Short Joy rider.

Lieut a Saffron

March 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty Wednesday March 9th as his day off.

Lieut a Saffron

March 10. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray served a Summons on Samuel Weiss of 434 East 2nd St. Charged with allowing Circulars to be thrown on the Streets

Lieut a Saffron

March 10. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray tried to locate E. R. Rafflaw of 218 East 7th St. who is wanted for issueing a worthless Check. Learned that he left town last Monday.

Lieut a Saffron

March 10. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty the remainder of the day in the Cor. in the residented Section of the City. and found Conditions quiet till 2 a. m.

Lieut a Saffron

March 10. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 2 a.m to 6 a.m

Lieut a Saffron

March 10. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Dr James G. Bayer of 744 Watching Ave. informed me that a Man Came to his office on January 12th and represented himself as a Salesman for the California Vintas Products Company of Long Island City. and wished to sell him or rather take his order for Some unfermented grape juice. which when let stand for a Month it would become a high grade of wine. When the Doctor declined this man then Said he would give him the unfermented wine for nothing provided he pay the cost of the Keg and the express Charges he was so persistent and the Doctor was so busy that he finally Consented to allow him to Send the order. and he wrote out an order on a printed Slip and asked for $17.50 to pay the Costs. The Doctor gave him a Check for that over.

March 10. 1932 amount and has been nothing of the wine or Salesman since Doctor Boyle has since learned that this fellow secured orders from Dr Munger and Dr Cantine and Doctor Schenk. They have not received any ward or goods Either. he is probably a fraud and is touring the State victimizing professional men. He gave his name as A Golden and was about 28 years old. 5 ft 4 tall. 150 Lbs. fair complexion. wavy hair. Stocky build. appeared to be a Jew. a good talker and very persistent and was wearing a Soft hat, and grey overcoat. Dr Boyce Said he did not wish to make any Complaint but thought if this report was broadcast it might Save others from being Swindled.

Detect a Saffron

March 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray tried to locate Mrs Mildred Martine who lived at 15 Everett Place Information wanted by Mrs greenwald of 10 Herbert Place New Ark N.J. who is boarding two of Mrs Martines Children and not getting any money since January. learned that Mrs martine was employed at the Doll house in Middlesex Borough. up to three weeks ago The proprietor will Get in touch with her and have her get the Children

Detect a Saffron

March 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P. m and was on Duty in Various parts of the City till 7 P. m. and then toured the residental Section of the City till 2. a. m. and found Everything quiet.

Detect a Saffron

March 11. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 6 P. m

Detect a Saffron

March 11. 1932

House Entered

Detective J Denny and officer E Flynn investigated Several Calls from different houses on Stillford ave. Stating that they had been Entered during the night. We found that Some one had gained acces to the home of Mr Otto More 11.24 Stillford ave. By boring a half inch hole through the window frame. Rear the catch and then inserting a tool of Some description through this hole. and released the catch The window was found open in the morning by Mrs More. A porch door was also found uncatched the intruder probably passing out through it. We Searched only on the ground floor. as Several articles were disturbed but Nothing was Taken.

Lieut A Saffron

March 11. 1932

House Entered

Detective J Denny and officer E Flynn investigated the Mr Gilman home 11.44 Stillford ave. Some one Entered the house through a Side Cellar door. and Pushed the Key out on the floor with another Key that would fit the lock a search of the ground floor was made. and a Black. leather Pocket Book Containing a five dollar bill. and a Cameo Pin about 1½ inches in diameter and a womans head upon it Valued at $30.00 acguarwarine Ring Set in white gold Valued at $25.00 a plain gold band wedding Ring with initials L.M. to R.G. valued at $12.00 a plain Gold ring with a ruby stone Valued at $16.00. and a Small gold locket and Chain Valued at $15.00 was Carried away.

March 11. 1932

attempt to Enter the house

Detective J Denny and officer E Flynn reports that they tried to Enter Mrs George Martin home 11.71 Stillford ave. The thief attempted to get in a rear Cellar door. But found a Chain holding it and gave up the attempt.

Lieut A Saffron

March 11. 1932

House Entered

Detective J Denny and officer E Glynn went to the home of Mr Rasmus Jensen of 11.61 Stillford ave. a yale lock on the rear door was pried off and the door then opened. an inner door leading into the kitchen was opened by some one pushing the key out on the floor. and probably using their own to open it. They must have been frightened from the house. as nothing was destroyed. or taken. at the home.

Deist a Saffron

March 11. 1932

House Entered

Detective J Denny and officer E. Glynn went to the home of Mrs Charles Cook. 11.63 Stillford ave and investigated the place. which was entered gained by pushing the key from a side. Cellar door. and an inside door. and then opened them with a Skeleton Key. A childs Cash register with from $12.00 to $15.00 in it was carried away.

Deist a Saffron

March 11. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that these visits were probably made after 1.30 a.m. As Mr Moore of 1124 Stillford ave. Remained up reading until 1.30 a.m. And he did not hear any noise or see any one prowling around. We could notice the marks of a pair of woolen gloves on one of the windows that was freshly painted. and the thief probably wore these throughout Each visit that he made.

Deist a Saffron

March 12. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray arrested Harold Van Fleet of 407 west 4th St. on a warrant issued from James F. Patten. Recorder of Rahway. Charging Van Fleet with failing to answer a Summons.

Deist a Saffron

March 12. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray interviewed Mr. F. Harold Eaton of 153 West Golf ave. The owner of Car K 30235 N.J. that was hanging around the high School on Several accasions. Miss Farmbergh of 670 W. 5th St Complaint that the man tried to flirt with her when I questioned him he admitted being in the Vicinity. But said he was trying to locate a noise in the Car. and used these Streets be Cause they were rough. I warned him to Stay away while the School was letting out. I told Mrs Farmbergh that I warned the man. and She did not want any thing further done about the Case.

Lieut a Saffron

March 12. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8. a.m to 10. P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

March 12. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mr Carl Strake of 11.16 East 2nd St informed me that Some time during the week about twenty Cedar posts 14 feet long were taken from the rear of his yard They appeared to have been carried out the rear way toward East Third St. None of the Neighbors along Third St. would admit Seeing anyone removing these posts.

Lieut a Saffron

March 13. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports on duty in Various parts of the City all Day and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

March 13. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday as his Day off. March 13. 1932

Lieut a Saffron

March 13. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday March 13 as his Day off

Levitt a Saffron

March 14. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray brought Lucy Perna age 16 years of 6437 Vine St. Phila to Police Headqtrs from 643 W 4th St at the request of the Phila Police Charged with being a runaway. also brought Anthony De Bernards of 240 Robinson St Phila to Police Headqtrs who brought the Perna girl here.

Levitt a Saffron

March 14. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray had some information about Randolph Thomas who is wanted here for murder and is supposed to be in the Vicinity of Graceland Fanwood. Took a picture of him to Chief Bradys house. But the Chief was away. and I could not see the Chief.

Levitt a Saffron

March 14. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City. from 8 a.m to 6 p.m

Levitt a Saffron

March 14. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he recovered a Drill Press a bench saw. and a 1/2 H. P. Motor from 206 West 4th St. the home of Elmer Giles. These articles were Stolen by Giles from the Walker-Turner factory. about a month ago. I brought them to Police Headqtrs. and Notified Mr Walker to send for them.

Levitt a Saffron

March 14. 1932

Detective J Denny Covered the residential Sections until 2 a.m. and found Conditions quiet

Levitt a Saffron

March 14. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited the janitor of the Green Brook Apartments and he told me of a Suspicious man his Nephew had seen in the building. I located the Nephew and although he remembers this fellow as a Patient in the Hospital he Could not recall his name. He will inquire among the nurses until he is able to learn it.

Lieut A Saffran

March 16: 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Visited Mrs Murra of 1554 St Nicholas Blvd. about her daughter Adelle age 16 years old. information we had that the girl was staying with Colored people at times Mrs Murra said the girl has never been away from home and She Can not understand how the story got around The girl was also home at the same time I was there and she did not look like that type of a girl.

Lieut A Saffran

March 16: 1932

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray had a warrant for Mrs Anna Rumbold charging her with adultery with Harold Van Fleet. She was ordered into Court for Thursday at 9. a.m. By Chief Flynn

Lieut A Saffran

March 15. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he Covered different Parts of the City And Business Sections throughout the Day and Evening until 1. a.m. and found Conditions quiet. I Spent most of the Evening in the residential Sections where the recent robberies have taken place.

Lieut A Saffran

March 15. 1932

Detective E McGarry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 a.m. to 6. P.m.

Lieut A Saffran

March 16.1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty March 16th Wednesday as his Day off.

Deint a Saffron

March 16.1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Deint a Saffron

March 16.1932 Detective J Denny arrested Mathew Rumbold on a Warrant Charged him with Non Support of his wife and Child.

arrest

Deint a Saffron

March 16.1932 Detective J Denny Covered different parts of the City. And Business Sections during the day and fannd Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

March 17.1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Andrew Hage of 1173 Stillford ave. That a few minutes after he left his dog out for a run a Car with two men in it stopped and picked the dog up and took it away. Mrs Hagee saw them do it. But could not get the License number about 3/4 an hour later the dog returned

Deint a Saffron

March 17.1932 Detective Sergt Gray and Deint A Saffron investigated a report made by Thomas Higgins

House Entered a Caretaker of Mrs Delafield house 439 West 7th St That Some time during the night the house was Entered by Some one breaking the glass in the rear Kitchen window Nothing was missing from the house.

Deint a Saffron

March 17.1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6.P.m.

Deint a Saffron

March 17. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray took a picture of Harry Schipren who is under arrest at Syracuse Charged with issueing worthless Checks to Several people in town. who had Checks passed on them to see if they could identify him. Miss Drake of 622 Park ave is pritty Sure he is the one. and Mrs Maxim of the Dress Shop at 7th St and Park ave Said it looked like the man that passed a Check. in her Store in December 1931. at the time Miss Drake was with her. The remainder of the Store Keepers Said the man that passed Checks on them was much taller than Schipren.

Detct a Saffren

March 17. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray interviewed Mrs Stelle Bush of 303 Grant ave. a mid wife. She came to Plainfield from Bound Brook N J December 17th 1931 and attended two Cases in town up to now. one Case was Jan 5th 1932. at 1217 west 3rd St. at the home of Patsy Pendolline. The other was Alexander Kuzmiski R. D. 2 Rahway Rd. on Jan 20th 1932. Mrs Bush has a diplama from the Stanistown Institute at Scranton Showing her a graderate and She also had a Certificate from the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners. Mrs Bush did accepted $17.00 from Mrs Rumbold and Said She would return $10.00 to her and as She took Care of her with 3 visits recently She would charge the $7.00. I told her to turn the $10.00 over to Miss Holly.

Detct a Saffren

March 17. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Sick on March 17 Thursday.

Detct a Saffren

March 18. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to Jersey City with Joseph Siccardi and Charles Higgins to investigate the Sudden Death of his father James Siccardi of 770 Belvedere ave Plainfield N J we learned that at 10.55 a.m. Mr Siccardi went to the mens room at the Jersey City Central Terminal and went into a pay toilet and shot him self in the head with a 32 Caliber Smith and Wesson revolver dying instantly. he was found in the toilet by a man named William Johnson of Roselle N J. and he was Pronounced dead by Doctor LaPrio. The Body was removed to Whites Morgue in Jersey City. The case was investigated in Jersey City By Detective Deady. all the Valuables found on the body were turned over to Mr. Higgins

Deint a Saffron

March 18. 1932

Detective E. McGarry was an Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 am to 6 P.m.

Deint a Saffron

March 18 1932

Detective J Denny was off Sick on March 18. 1932 Friday.

Deint a Saffron

March 19. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. Pm and was on Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 7.45 P.m. Then went with Deint Saffron and was on Duty at the Bridge on Duer Street till 9.15 P.m. Waiting for Some one to claim a package that was Supposed to be dropped from the Bridge. But did not See any one drop any Package. Nor any one that looked Suspicious Touring the City in a Car. from 9.30 P.m till 2 a.m and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

March 19. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 10 P.m

Geist a Saffron

March 19. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he visited different Parts of the City and Business Sections during the Day and Evening until 12. P.m. and found conditions quiet.

Geist a Saffron

March 20. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray answered the Light at 10.00 P.m. and was sent by Sergt Brown to 1411 George St. to investigate a stabbing affray. I learned from Frank Importico at 1411 George St that at 9. P.m. he was driving home with his wife as he was driving East on George St. at Garfield Ave a Car going the opposite Direction tried to turn in front of him. then both Cars stopped and the drivers got out and started to argue. There was no blows Struck. But the other man pushed Mr Importico. and after Importico got back in his Car he felt a stinging pain in his left side after he reached home. he found he had been Cut. The knife going through his leather jacket and two Sweaters. He called in Doctor Henn. who dressed the wound. The Doctor said it was not Serious. The other man was Described as being 5'ft 8 tall. and about 30 years old. heavy Build light Skin. and wore a Brown Suit no hat or over Coat on. and drove a blue Coach Car with D.E. Plates on the Car. I made a Canvas of the Vicinity but Could not learn his identity.

March 20. 1932

Geist a Saffron

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday March 20th as his day off.

Geist a Saffron

March 20. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray answered the Light at 12.20 a.m. and was Sent by the Sergt at the Desk to 1450 Prospect Ave Mr Valriant home. he stated the dog he has in the house was doing a lot of Barking. I made a Search around the house and inside. and found Everything O.K.

Lieut A Saffron

March 21. 1932

Garage broken in to by Boys.

Detective E. Mc Garry reports that Hyman Kaplan the Proprietor of the green City Bottling Co 227 in the rear of West Grant St. Reported that Some time between Sunday night March 19 and Monday morning March 21st a lock was broken off his garage door. and Seven large battles of Soda was taken from one of the trucks Evidently the work of Boys. I made Several inquiries in the Vicinity. But was unable to learn anything of the Boys.

Lieut A Saffron

March 21. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 P.m

Lieut A Saffron

March 21 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 2. a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut A Saffron

March 21. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested Frank Carbss of 209 West 3rd St on a warrant Charging him with Non Support of his wife and Child.

Lieut A Saffron

March 21. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested andrew Sawka of 20 academy ave. after he had been detected in the act of cutting a lock from a Bicycle standing out rear the Y. M. C. A. Building. He was in Company with John Ware 14 years old of 1122 St Marys Place I went to Sawka home and in the Cellar I found a Philo Racing Bicycle That had been Stolen during the day from the Plainfield high School. It belonged to anthony Tocco of 209 Richmond St. There were parts of three other Bicycles in the Cellar.

Stolen Bicycles

Detct A Saffron

March 21. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Zinner of 310 Orange Place Stated to him that an Italian man by the name of Sam Padarei and lived at #30 Elm Place. which Property adjoins the rear of hers. came on her property last Saturday afternoon and cut down about nine feet of privet hedge. I learned from Padarei that John Feorventi his Landlord told him to trim the hedge and he misunderstood him and cut them off at the base Feorventi promised to have the hedge replaced in a week.

Detct A Saffron

March 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report of Mrs Rozell that her house 611 Clinton ave was Entered and Some articles Stolen I made a Canvas in the Vicinity but Could not get any information about it. I also questioned Mrs Rozell who is not living with his wife and he Said he has not been near 611 Clinton ave. Detective Sergt Gray toured the City in the Police Car till 2. a. m and found Everything quiet.

Detct A Saffron

March 22. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray placed William Newell of 225 Plainfield ave under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Mega on a Complaint made by Elizabeth Newell who charged him with being disorderly.

Geint a Saffron

March 22. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 p.m

Geint a Saffron

March 22. 1932

Stolen Bicycles

Detective J Denny Continued the investigation of Various Bicycles stolen by John Ware and Andrew Saubka. and learned that they took a Shelley Flyer Bicycle on January 5th 1932. from in front of 147 East Front St. belonging to Bruce Carroll of 469 West Front St. a Shelley Flyer Bicycle belonging to Murray Kalish 16 Church St. from the high School on November 13th 1931 a Red Engine Bicycle belonging to Arthur Veglite of 45 West 3rd St. from the Courier News. Building on March 12th 1932 a Victor Bicycle belonging to David Geldea of 105 3 Myrtle ave from the High School during the first Part of November. a Phileo Racing Bicycle belonging to anthony Gacco of 209 Richmond St. from the High School. on March 14th 1932. And an unidentified Iver Johnson Bicycle from the High School. I learned that a Colored boy named Gwinn living at 145 East Second St. Paid Saubka $7.00 for Gideas Bicycle. But I took it from him and returned it to the owner. Gaccos Bicycle was returned to him. also Mr Carroll took the Parts of his Sons Bicycle home with him. Arthur Veglite also received the Parts of his Bicycle. Minus a front wheel and handlebars. I also got two Electric engine. a toy steam Engine. and two Chronometers that were picked up in the Various Stores by these two boys.

Geint a Saffron

March 23 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty Wednesday March 23. 1932 as his day off.

Lieut A Saffron

March 23. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City.

Lieut A Saffron

March 23. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Jersey City and West orange. with a warrant for Lester Beal who was Charged by Mr H. J. Miller of Plainfield with aiding in a Conspiracy to defraud him of nine hundred Dollars. I brought back Beal and placed him in the Cell.

arrest.

Lieut A Saffron

March 23. 1932 Detective J Denny Continued the investigation of the disappearance of Various Bicycles taken by John Ware.

Lieut A Saffron

March 23. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Conditions quiet throughout the City.

Lieut A Saffron

March 24. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray. was in Company with officer O Malley of the State Police Checking up several people who might Know something about the Kidnaping of the Lindbergh baby I was with officer O Malley till 10.30 P.m. and then toured the City in the Police Car till 2 a m and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut A Saffron

March 24. 1932 Detective. E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City. from 8. a. m. to 6. P. m.

Lieut A Saffron

March 24. 1932

Detective J Denny went to Newark and assisted Detectives Morgewatte and Bailey in locating and arresting Lewis Schirmacher who lives in Staten Island. But visits Newark occasionly. I had a Complaint charging him with forgery that was Sworn out Agenist him. I brought him back to Plainfield and placed him in the cell.

arrest.

Levi a Soffron

March 24. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Plainfield High School and questioned Bernard Perlmutter of 644 East Second St. aged 14 years old regarding a Stolen Bicycle. He admitted having two of the Bicycles mentioned. But said that he bought them from John were paying three dollars. And two dollars respectively for them. I recovered them at his home and brought them to Police Headqts. one of them was Claimed and Identified by Howard Van Arsdale of west Front St.

Stolen Bicycle

Levi a Soffron

March 24. 1932

Detective J Denny was informed by Mr Rheinald Bueschel of 200 Garfield Ave. at 10. P. m. That a bundle of Samples of hard Candy was Stolen from his brother in. Laws Car. That was left Standing in his yard at 200 Garfield Ave. There was a good Substantial leather belt fastened around the Samples. and along with them was about ten order Books with the name Lewis & Co or Lewis Bros. printed on them. These Candies were Valued at about four Dollars. Mr Busschels Brother in Laws name is John a Bruens and he lives at 1376 East Kennedy St. Philadelphia Pa. He was Visiting. Mr Bueschel when this affair took place

Levi a Soffron

March 25. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P. m and was on Duty in the Business Sections till 7.30 P. m. and then toured the City in the Police Car. till 2 a. m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deist a Saffron

March 25. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 am to 6 P m

Deist a Saffron

March 25. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Rose young of 326 East Grant St informed him. that some time between 2 P. m and 4.30 P. m. her Black fold over. Envelope Bag Containing insurance papers keys. and Mid-City Trust Co Bank Book and Prudential insurance Book. as well as $2. 00 in Cash. was stolen from Doctor Hirsch office at 205 East Grant St. where She is employed The Doctor was at home all Day. and Mrs young was alone in the office. It was probably the work of a Sneak thief. who Entered when Mrs young was busy in one of the End rooms of the office suite. On account of her loosing the Keys. She does not want her Name and Address used.

Deist a Saffron

March 25. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Gage who has Charge of the apartments at 546 West Seventh St. and She informed me that at different time during the past month Some Person or persons have been draining the gasoline from Cars. Parked in the rear of the Building They have also forced open locked doors. and Searched through the Cars taking away flash-Lights and tools.

Deist a Saffron

March 25. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr Retzinger of 1015 Kenyon ave in response to a Complaint from him that several Great Dane Dage have been damaging his property recently I learned that they belonged to Mr Dyer of 1055 Kenyon Ave. He promised to keep them on his Property as much as possible

Levit a Saffran

March 25. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr Cathcart of 746 Grant ave. and learned that he has a large Police dog That Some times runs after and frightens Children on there way to School. He promised also to keep his dog confined as much as possible

Levit a Saffran

March 25. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered an Elgin Bicycle from Joseph Stein of 1827 East 2nd St. That was Stolen from the High School on November 18. 1931. It had been sold to Stein by Andrew Sawka for $10.00 and I returned it to owner Joseph Cooney

Levit a Saffran

March 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Garay reports that Mr Thomas Vail of 35 Myrtle ave N.P. Stated that yesterday morning while Getting out of his Car at Watchung and he dropped his purse containing his drivers and Car license and also $46.00 in bills. He Walked across the Street before he missed it. Then he Walked back to his Car. But could not find it. Daniel Olson. who was near the Corner told me Vail a Colored man named Herbert Bryton of North Plainfield found it. Mr Vail wanted till to day to report it. Then made a Complaint against Bryton I tried to locate Bryton but was unsuccesful

Levit a Saffran

March 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray tried to locate Joseph Martin who is supposed to live in Plainfield, at the request of Joseph George of Philadelphia. But could not find him in the City.

Lieut A Saffron

March 26. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 A. m to 10 P m

Lieut A Saffron

March 26. 1932 Detective J Denny returned a Columbia Bicycle to Edward Rawley of 13 Clinton ave. That was Stolen from him on March 16. 1932. It was Stolen by John ware aged 14. years old. And was Sold to Bernard Perlmutter of 544 East 2nd St.

Lieut A Saffron

March 26. 1932 Detective J Denny also recovered an Eastman Kodak. Motion picture machine from the Perlmutter Boy. This machine was loaned to him by John ware who Stole it from Seppers store about two months ago.

March 27. 1932

Lieut A Saffron

Detective Sergt Gray and Lieut A Saffron visited the Paramount & Strand and Oxford Theatres. and found all of them doing Business and Placed the Manager of the Theatres under arrest. at the Paramount Theatre. The Manager was Alan Boyd of Perth Amboy N.J. arrested 3.40 P. m.

Lieut A Saffron

March 27. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday 27th of march as his Day off.

Lieut A Saffron

March 27. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday 27th of march as his Day off

Lieut A Saffron

March 28. 1932

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray arrested Herbert Brighton at the North Plainfield Police Headqts on a warrant issued by City Judge William J. DeMeza on Complaint of Thomas Vail. Who charged him with Larceny of $46.00.

Deint a Saffron

March 28. 1932

Store Entered

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Harris Gurinsky a grocer at 1123 West 3rd St. He stated that Some time after 10 P.m. His Store was Entered by breaking the glass in the rear windaw. Abant $10.00 worth of Cigars and Cigarettes and a $1.26 Cents in pennies were Stolen. But Could not Locate any finger Prints.

March 28 1932

Deint a Saffron

Detective Sergt Gray Located Walter B. Dwyer who was working at the queen City Laundry on East 2nd St. Information wanted by Chief Glynn.

Deint a Saffron

March 28. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 am to 6 P. m.

Deint a Saffron

March 28. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested John Mc Donald of 934 West 4th St. on a warrant Charged him with defrauding his Landlord of forty Eight Dollars which was money due for board and Lodging

March 28. 1932

arrest.

Deint a Saffron

Detectives J Denny and officer Mullin arrested Newton Emmons on a warrant Charged him with disorderly Conduct.

Dent a Saffron

March 28. 1932

arrest.

Detectives J Denny and officer Mullin arrested Austin Mack and Charged him with being a helpless drunk - We found him Lying on the Sidewalk on West Seventh St. near Dew St.

Levit a Saffran

March 28. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that William Russo Stated that he is Employed as a night man in Romonds Garage and at 11.45 P.m. That between 6.15 P.m. and 6.30 P.m. he dropped his Bank Book with $40.00 in Bills in it on the garage floor and Some one picked it up and Carried it away. a young Colored boy named Benjamen Brown of 136 East 2nd St. who after Visits the garage told Russo later that he saw Al Colucci of 865 North ave. a driver for Kellers Market get out of his truck and run over and pick Some thing up from the floor and then go immediately out. Keller Keeps his truck in Romonds Garage Every night and Colucci had just driven in about the time Russo dropped the Book. Russo had Sent his Brother out to the high School to the Firemens Dance to See if he could locate Colucci. He Saw him there But did not ask him about the money. When I got out there at 12 P.m. I could not locate Colucci and I watched until the dance broke up at 1.a.m but he was not there. I learned later that he took a taxi home from the Dance Shortly before 12 midnight. Russo will be at Headqts in the morning to make a Complaint.

Levit a Saffran

March 28. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Elliot Mc Grew informed me. that his Elderly Mother in Rome N.Y. had received Several telephones calls there from Some one wanting to deliver a Package of Valuable papers which they said they found and that belonged to her Son. When She egnored these Calls She received a note Stuck on the Steering wheel of her Car. Demanding $50.000. and accompanied by a Sketch of the Surrounding property Showing just where to place it. It further Stated if She did not Comply with this request that her grandson. Elliot Mc Grews Child in Plainfield would be done away with. The police in Rome think it is a local plan up there and so does Mr Mc Grew. But he would like the Patrolman on post to Keep an Extra Sharp watch in his neighborhood. I informed Officer Carrigan on duty in that Section of what might happen and he will Cover that Vicinity more that usual. Mr Mc Grew does not want any of this account to go to the Newspapers.

Lieut a Saffran

March 29. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Walter Pieslak of 35-2 Evona ave That at 5-a-m to day a dog forced his way in a rabbitts Coop. and killed two large rabbitts Valued at $10.00. I learned the dog is owned by Mr Frank Caul of 1408 West 4th Street he is willing to Pay the damage.

Lieut a Saffran

March 29. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

March 29.1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report of officer Conlin Stating that the door and a window at 300 Park Ave was broken. From marks on the door it was evident that a back draught caused the door to swing out with such force as to break it at the joint. and then go through the window. The Building is owned by Perry & Burns of Newark N.J.

Lieut A Saffron

March 29.1932

Detective Sergt Gray Brought Frances De Riene from 542 East Front St. to her home at 127 Watchung Ave. and made a seperate report

Lieut A Saffron

March 29.1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Miss Daly to Sergt Nolan. Stating that a Strange girl was Stopping at the home of Mrs De Rosa of 542 East Front St. Mrs De Rosa told me her Son was out riding last Friday March 25th near the old Paper Mill in Scotch Plains when he Saw this Girl on the road with a Suit Case. He Stopped and Said he would give her a lift to where She was going. The girl Said She Came from N.Y. City. and was staying in an old building in the woods. and Said She had been there three days. De Rosa brought her to his home on Friday. and she has been there till to day. When I questioned her She Said her name was Frances De Riene. and had been living at 127 Watchung Ave Plainfield. with her mother. And married Sister Mrs William Knox till last Friday. when She left the house looking for work. I brought the girl home. and questioned. Mrs Knox. She Said Francis is 21 years old. and was born in Paris France. And Came to this Country Six years ago. She worked at Sacks And Company in New York City. till about one year ago. then Francis and her mother Came to Plainfield to live with her and Mr Knox Francis has tried to get a position in Plfd but could not find anything. Mrs Knox

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March 29. 1932 Said Francis is very nervous and last Friday she spoke a little cross to her and Francis left the house taking all of her Clothes with her. Mrs Knox said she did not worry as Francis is old Enough to take Care of her Self. She also said Francis can stay there as long as she wanted too. I Called Miss Hollys office. and left word there where the girl is Stopping.

Detct A Saffron

March 29. 1932 Detective J Denny left a warrant at Newark Headqts for Samuel Dent. who is accused by Ben Schwartz of tendering him a bad Check for $226.00.

Detct A Saffron

March 29. 1932 Detective J Denny Covered different Parts of the City. and Residential Sections throughout the night until one a m. and found Conditions Quiet and orderly.

Detct A Saffron

March 30. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty wednesday the 30th of march as his Day off.

Detct A Saffron

March 30. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a.m to 6 P.m

Detct A Saffron

March 30 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mr Otto moore of 1124 Stillpond Ave informed him that Some one Some time after 10.30 P.m previous Evening there was Some one around his house. leaning against the front door. and placed a quart milk bottle of water near the door. So that when he opened it in the morning it fell into his front room and Spilled the water all over the floor. It Seemed to be the work of Boys. No other damage was done to the property.

Detct A Saffron

March 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that he notified Mr Cunniff of 1232 Cameron Ave. That his son was held by the Police of Pennsylvania R. R. at Baltimore Md.

Levi a Saffron

March 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Interviewed Mr Johnson of 222 Stella ave. Who wanted to advise the Police that any time they have occasion to go around his home during the night to first call to him at the front of his house. He is very much afraid of burglars since Mr Turnbull was robbed.

Levi a Saffron

March 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Mr Robert Keenen of 445 East 6th St stating that some one Cut 3 young trees down on his Property he has on his list for sale. Property is located at the North West Corner of Garfield ave and George St. I learned at the neighborhood. That on March 27th about 8:30 P.m. a white man was seen Cutting the trees down with an ax. After Cutting the trees he ran East on George St.

Levi a Saffron

March 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported that Mr Samuel Salansky of East 3rd St. and Richmond St Stated to me. That Wednesday night he said he neglected to put 23 quarts of oil that was in Quart bottles away. When he closed his gas Station. This morning the bottles with the Carriers was missing all the bottles were Marked Sun oil Co. on the inside. Oil and Containers was Valued at $18.00.

Levi a Saffron

March 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray notified Mrs Brown of 233 Prescott Place. to return a bed and other furniture back. to. Mr Susan Redd. She agreed to do so.

Deist a Saffron

March 31. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 A.m to 6 P.m

Deist a Saffron

March 31. 1932

Detective J Denny reports at 12.10 a m. That Sergt Muir. to Liberty st. and west Third Street to investigate a Report of an accident there I learned that Charles Southard of 328 Park ave while driving a Car license # 4 29366 NJ belonging to Edward Sutton of 329 Central ave Sideswiped a parked Car belonging to Lester Johnson of 628 west 4th St. There was Considerable damage done to both Cars. But Johnson did not want to make any Complaint on Southard. Southard had left the scene of the accident before I arrived I presumably to get a wrecker to remove Sutton Car.

Deist a Saffron

March 31. 1932

accident of officer Bayer Pages 100 & 101

Detective J Denny investigated a telephone report of an accident at Park ave and Evergreen ave. and learned that officer Bayer while riding his motorcycle north on Park ave at about 1.05 a m. was thrown to the pavement when the machine slipped and fell. as he swerved to avoid being struck by a Car that was about to turn into Evergreen Ave. This Car was owned by Edward Laing of 957 Park ave. and driven by him he had stopped at the Curb. to let a passenger out and had turned out a few feet from the Curb to make the turn. Except Mr J W Ewing who was riding with. Mr Laing. no one saw the accident Mr. E. K. Schomp of 2402 Park ave. South Plainfield arrived on the scene shortly after the accident and helped Mr Laing and officer Sliker to place Bayer in a Car and took him to the Hospital

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March 31. 1932 There were no signs of any contact between the automobile and motorcycle. The motorcycle was only slightly damaged and the speedometer indicator showed 21 miles per hour. The accident appeared unavoidable and caused principally by the wet slippery condition of the pavement. Drs. Fitch and Sondella. who Examined Bayer and stated that he had a bad fracture at the base of the skull and a fracture of the collar bone.

Det. A Saffron

April 1. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports at he obtained a statement from Edward Laing of 951 Park ave. and John W Esving of 952 Park ave. on the Patrolman Bayer accident case.

Det. A Saffron

April 1. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray went with Joseph Siccardi of 777 Belvidere ave to interview all the People that had anything to do with the Body of his father who committed Suicide at the Jersey Central Station on march 18th 1932. Talking to all of the Employees of the Central R.R including Inspector of Police. Charles Hann. and the Police of the City Police Dept. who handled the case. Mr Siccardi obtained the Letter from the J C Police that was found on his Body. Mr Siccardi was satisfied after talking to the People. That there was nothing to the story about his father having a large Sum of money on him.

Det. A Saffron

April 1. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 A.M to 6 P.M. and found Everything quiet and orderly.

Det. A Saffron

April 1. 1932

House Entered

Detective J Denny reports at 2.00 a m I went to the home of Mr. E. Williams 725 Irving Place in response to a Phone Call from him. and he told me. That between 12. Pm and 12.30 a.m Some Person or Persons had Entered his home and after Searching around Carried away about three Dollars in Change. That was left in two different Places all the Dresser Drawers were rummaged into and although Valuable wrist watches and other jewelry were in plain View nothing was taken out But the Cash. His fifteen year old niece was home alone. and in bed at the time. and she heard Some one tampering with the Lock on the front and rear doors She then heard the footsteps of Someone Coming up the rear Stairs. and then Enter her room. She became frightened and Covered herself with the bed Covers. And remained absolutely quiet. at one time she heard the intruder whisper to some body so she thinks there must have been two together. Mr williams had been to a party on Kenyon ave. and did not arrive home until 2 a.m The intruders Entered with a Key through the back door. and were Probably familiar with the house or at least gained information that Mr & Mrs Williams were away. Detective J Denny Spent alot of time Searching and watching throughout the West End for the Stolen Car # 6954 that was taken from west Second St and Central ave. We received a Call from the Dunellen Police that. This Car was used in a Store hold up there at about 7 P.m. I could not Locate it.

Lemit a Saffren

April 2. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry. was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 10 P.m.

Lemit a Saffren

April 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and was an Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 2 a.m. and was Sent by Sergt Muir to 531 west 3rd St. to a Call Sent in by Alexander Schmidt of that address that a Colored man Came in the Store while Schmidt was in the back room and took his Cash register out. The Colored man ran in an alley toward 4th St. and dropped it in the back yard. Mr Schmidt recovered the Register and Said nothing was missing from it. he Could not get a description of the Colored Man as the people who Saw him was afraid to talk.

Lieut a Saffron

April 3. 1932

House Entered

Detective J Denny investigated a Call from Mrs Lucy Elain of 137 Liberty St. Stating Some one had Entered her house Sometime between 2.30 P.m and 4 P.m on March 31. 1932. I learned that the intruders had raised a rear window. That leads onto a back porch and passed in through it. They were Evidently looking for Cash only as Several watches and other peices of jewelry were undisturbed nothing at all was taken as far as Mrs Elain Could see. There is quite a gang of boys that gather in the yard next door and they may have observed Mrs Elain go out and took advantage of her absence I Continued the investigation of the disappearance of Several Cars that were Stolen from the Vicinity of Iron St. and used in hold ups in Dunellen N J

Lieut a Saffron

April 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and at 3.46 P.m. with Lieut Saffron We arrested John Reinhard of Red Bank N.J. Charged with operating the Theatres on the Sabbaths.

Lieut a Saffron

April 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by officer Henze. That Roth and Co Store at 142 E 2nd Front St was Entered. he found the glass in the rear door was broken and the door unlocked Nothing seemed to be disturbed at the Cashiers desk as there was Stamps and Some Change in the money drawer. Officer Mansfield Caught one of the Saponi boys of 771 Hill St. driving Cars in the used Car Lot owned by the H.O.B. Motor Co. and two other boys got away. No Doubt they are the ones who got in Roths market.

Leut a Soffron

April 3. 1932

Sudden death of Mr Stillman

Detective Sergt Gray investigated the Sudden Death of Mr Frederic D. Stillman of 816 West 4 St. I learned from witnesses. That Mr Stillman was riding East on East Front St about 6.45 P.M on his Bicycle as he got opposite 249 East Front St. he got off the Bicycle and walked over to a fence on the South side of the Street. He put the Bicycle against the fence. and held the pickets with his hands Mr James Beatty of 249 East Front St. looked out of his window and saw the man was in distress. He walked over to him and with the aid of Several. he put Stillman in his Car Beatty and his 14 year old step-Son James Brisco drove Mr Stillman to the Hospital. after he arrived there Dr Quag Examined him and Pronounced him dead officer Mansfield told Mr Beatty to take the Body to Higgins Morgue. which he did Both Me and Beatty saw Mr Stillman get off the Bicycle. and walk to the fence. There Was No Evidence of a Car Striking Mr Stillman or of him falling from the Bicycle We brought Mr Stillmans Bicycle and hat and Dantum to Police Headqts. from 249 East Front St. Then went to the Morgue. where Mr Harvey Rothberg Identified him also Searched his Clothes in the Presence of Mr Higgins and his two assistants and found $1.17 cents in Change in a purse. a pair of glasses a Silver watch a Six foot folding rule. and Some Empty Envelopes. Mr Higgins. and I went to Mr Stillman home at 816 West 4th St. and told his Daughter Mrs Laura Mac Donald of his death Every thing found on his Body was left at the undertakers

Leut a Soffron

April 3. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty april 3rd as his Day off.

Levit a Saffran

April 3. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty april 3rd as his Day off.

April 4. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 7. A m to 6 P. m

Levit a Saffran

April 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Francis Neal of 514 Arlington ave. That some time between 2.15 P. m and 3.15 P. m to days he Brown leather Coat Valued at $11.00 was Stolen from the cloak room on the 3rd floor of the High School.

Levit a Saffran

April 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Reported for Duty at 3. P m and was on Duty in the City till 7.45 P. m. and then toured the Residental Sections in the Car tell 2. a m. and found Conditions quiet.

Levit a Saffran

April 4 1932 Detective J Denny Visited the home of Mr Laidlaw of 758 West 5th St. at 10.35 P. m. In response to a Call from him. That same one had been trying to gain an Entrance to his home. I learned that

house Entered about fifteen minutes after a maid. Christine Walker had retired to bed she saw the figure of a man climb upon the outside of the windows. She screamed and he jumped down and disappeared. The lower windows are all Barred on this house. and this may have been a prowler. Instead of a burglar. There were no finger prints of Value left there. The maid could not tell if the man was Black or White. Officer Mansfield and Peterson and Jonas and myself Searched the entire neighborhood But without Success.

Levit a Saffran

April 4. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Mrs abrams of 450 West Seventh St. And She told me that She believed Same one tried to get into her home at 4 a m this morning. Her fifteen year old Son Saw a Mans face peering in the windaw But when he moved in bed the intruder quickly desappeared.

Lieut a Sapperon

April 4. 1932 Detective J Denny also Visited Mrs Underhill in apartment number 2 at 780 Park ave. and She informed me that on last Friday night about 11-5 o Clock Same one Entered her apartment through a Side windaw That was left apen. Some friends and Entered apartment herself were playing Cards in another part of this apartment. And She heard a Coat hanger fall to the floor in a Closet. But did not think anything of it at that time. This noise Evidently frightened the intruder away nothing was taken or Carried away.

Lieut a Sapperon

April 5. 1933

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Hastings a foreman for the Public Service Corp That Same time during the last few days Some one stole a acetylene tank weighing 250 Lbs and Valued at $80.00 from the job at Rock Ave. Number on the tank was W. K. X 1675 09 made a Canvas of the junk yard but could not Locate it.

Lieut a Sapperon

April 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray tried to Locate Elizabeth Vinans of 601 west 4th St. But was unable to get any information of her.

Lieut a Sapperon

April 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P m and toured the City in the Police Car till 2. a m and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Sapperon

april 5. 1932

Detective Sergt Grey answered the green light and went to the Laidlaws home at 75 West 9th St to a burglar scare. Found marks on the rear windows ledge where he climbed up as there was lights in all of the rooms upstairs it looked as though it was a prowler.

Lieut a Saffran

april 5. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at 8 a.m to 6 P.m. and was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City.

Lieut a Saffran

april 5. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated a Statement from officer Delaney that an oldsmobile Sedan License B. 14160 had been parked on the Hospital grounds for the past two days. and no one seemed to know who the owner is. It was registered in the name of Elsie Leight Church. Hillside ave Cresskill N.J. There was a Miss Church from Westfield admitted to the Hospital a few days ago Suffering from heart trouble Due to her condition. I did not question her about the Car. I short time later the Car was driven away by Same one It was not reported Stolen.

Lieut a Saffran

april 5. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Newark Police Headqts and left a warrant. there as a Detainer for Thomas Mc Mullen who was arrested there I also Searched for a considerable time for Henry Robinson along with a Newark Detective But was unable to Locate him I had a warrant for his arrest charged with issuing a Worthless Check. I also left a warrant for Randolph Holmes at East Orange Police Headqts An East orange Detective and I Visited his home But could not Locate him.

Lieut a Saffran

april 6. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty april 6th as his Day off.

Leint a Saffron

april 6. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8. A. m to 6. P m

Leint a Saffron

april 6. 1932 Detective J Denny on officer Wingenud arrested Charles Steff of 622 Stella ave on a warrant from the Domestic Relations Court for failure to appear

Leint a Saffron

april 6. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Alysser Saunders on a warrant charging him with unlawful Co habitation

Leint a Saffron

april 6. 1932 Detective J Denny visited Mr F Meyerowitz of 5. 34 west 3rd St in response to a Phone call from him and learned that last night between 7. P. m & 8. P m Some one ripped a hasp and Lock from his Chicken house door and Stole Eight Chickens. These Chickens were of Mixed Breed and Color. There were twenty one Chicken left unharmed in the Coop There were no Clues left by the intruders

Leint a Saffron

april 6. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Louis Steinman of 5. 34 west Third St. reported to me that during the last two weeks Some one Stole a Clover battery from his moving Van which was Standing in a garage at the rear of his home.

Leint a Saffron

april 7. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks from 8. A m to 6. P m. And Business Sections of the City.

Lent a Saffron

April 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m and was on Duty in Various parts of the City till 9 P.m. and then toured the City in the Car and found Conditions quiet.

Levit a Saffron

April 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray and Levit a Saffron arrested Everett Jachson of 341 Leland ave on a warrant issued by Recorder Drier of the P. Court charging him with disorderly Conduct.

Levit a Saffron

April 7. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Samuel Kert of 104 Frye ave. Newark N.J. at Newark Police Headqts and brought him back to Police Headqts in Plainfield. he was charged with issuing a worthless check to Ben Schwartz in Plainfield

Levit a Saffron

April 7. 1932 Detective J Denny recovered two Bicycles from a boy living in Fanwood N.J. who had bought them from Stanley Sawka and John Ware. one was Stolen from the Y. M. C. A. on January 5. 1932 and belonged to Gresham Sykes of 1143 Putnam ave. while the other belonged to a boy by the name of Moke at 509 Grant ave I returned Sykes wheel to him

Stolen Bicycles

Levit a Saffron

April 7. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Conditions throughout the City quiet.

Levit a Saffron

April 8. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and located Bassie Baker wanted on a Warrant Charged with adultery Received information That he would be in Court to Morrow.

Levit a Saffron

April 8. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray toured the City in the Police Car from 8 P. m to 2. a m. and found Conditions quiet.

Levitt a Saffron

April 8. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6. P m

Levitt a Saffron

April 8. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Rogers of 247 East 2nd St informed him that while she and a friend Mrs Chargais were using a telephone in the Retherwood Station booth at about 4.50 P. m. a negro man sat down near them and indecently Exposed himself. Mrs Chargais stated that she has often seen this man standing on East Grant St between Somerset St and Watchungaw during the day and at other times walking around in the ten cents stores staring at the girls she does not know his name or where he works though. Their Description of the man is as follows about 5 ft 8 tall. 160 Lbs, Medium Black skin. about Thirty five years old. Staring Eyes wearing a gray lumber jacket Brown Corduroy Pants and a dark grey Cap.

Levitt a Saffron

April 9. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Clement Approvato of 906 A. East Third St. on a warrant Charging Assault and Battery.

Levitt a Saffron

April 8. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Jack Irwins a guest at the Park Hotel informed me that some one between 6 P.m last night and 8.30 a m this morning two Suit Cases and a bag of Golf Clubs were Stolen from the rear of his Car which was Parked behind the Park Hotel. one of the Bags was of Black imitation leather and about 30 Long 15 high and 10 thick and Contained the Designs of monument. The other bag was about 34 Long. 14 high. and 6 high and was brown in Color. This bag Contained Eight Clubs. one of the drivers was Stamped Jack White and other one Spalding nearly all the others were stamped Crayden.

Detct A Saffren

April 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m. and was on duty in the City till 10.30 P. m

Detct A Saffren

April 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray tried to Locate Mildred Martini who lived at 320 Madison ave. till two weeks ago and is wanted by the Newark Police. Charged with deserting her two children she left here and went to Paterson N J but Could not get her address.

Detct A Saffren

April 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray worked on Robbery that took place last night between 11 and 12 P. m at the Central grocery Co 107 Central ave. I made a Canvas of the Vicinity But Could not get any information.

Detct A Saffren

April 9. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested Otto Runge of 714 East Seventh st. on a warrant charging him with disorderly Conduct.

Detct A Saffren

April 9. 1932

Detective J Denny covered the Business Section and Residential sections during the afternoon and Evening until 2 a m. and found conditions quiet.

Leut a Saffron

April 9. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 10 P m

Leut a Saffron

april 10. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday 10th as his Day off.

Leut a Saffron

April 10. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday 10th as his day off.

Leut a Saffron

april 10. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray and Leut a Saffron arrested Walter Haas of Freehold NJ The Manager of the Paramount Theatre Charged with Operating the Theatres on Sunday. he admitted he was the manager of the three houses for Sunday

Leut a Saffron

april 10. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in Various Parts of the City and Remainder of the Day and found Conditions quiet.

Leut a Saffron

april 11. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Leut a Saffron

April 11. 1932

Detective J Denny visited Various Parts of the City and Business Sections during the afternoon and Evening until 2. a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

April 11. 1932 Detective J Denny Returned a Red Indian Bicycle to Wilbur Inoke of 509 Grant ave. That was Stolen several months ago and Recovered by Me in Fanwood N.J.

Lieut a Saffron

April 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a fire that took place yesterday at 12.30 P.m. at the Store of anthony Ferradino 904 East 2nd St. Ferradino leased the store for five years from James Antino in July 1927 and he Carried $4000.00 insurance on the Stock and fixtures with the Agricultural Insurance Co. The Policy Expires Sept 26. 1932. The Store was well Stocked with goods. The fire started in the Ceiling in the front of the Building on the west side. It looked to me as though the rain leaked in the building. and Caused a Short Circuit in the window. lamp. Mr & Mrs Ferradino left the store about 1/2 hour before the fire Started Ferradino Carries a good Size Bank account and has a good Business he Also peddles with a truck He has never had a fire before.

Lieut a Saffron

April 11. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made By Dominick Perretti of 321 Johnson Ave. That Some one tried to Enter his Store through a rear window. The glass was broken Above the Catch and a jimmy was used to pry the window open. But could only be moved about an inch as Mr Perretti had a nail on Each side of the window.

Lieut a Saffron

april 12. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray placed Mario Decrato of 29 Jackson Ave. Elizabeth N.J. Charged with Disorderly Conduct at 1104 Sauth Ave.

Dcuit a Saffron

april 12. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray notified the remainder of the store Keepers in the City to dispose the Machines that they had in there possesion that were used as gambling devices

Dcuit a Saffron

april 12. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various parts of the City.

Dcuit a Saffron

april 12. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m.

Dcuit a Saffron

april 12. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Warren King of the Blue Lantern Restaurant 123 Park ave informed me that about 8.10 P m he received a phone call to deliver two quarts of ice Cream to a Mr Jenkins at the Trinity Reformed Church on West Second St The caller said he was on West Second St. and was having a party there. and also told King to bring along Change for twenty Dollars he took the Cream to the Church and a young man met him outside in front of it. And was going to take the Cream from him. He offered him a Check for twenty Dollars. and told him to take out the price for the Cream. King looked at the Check and noticed it was on ordinary bank Counter Check signed by a person named Jenkins. He told this fellow. he could not accept the Check and took back the Cream. The man then left and walked west on Second St toward Madison ave. Saying he was going to get some Change he was described as a young fellow 25 years old 5 ft 11 tall. Thin Build. Thin face. Sallow Complexion wore a grey hat. and overcoat. I searched the Business Section for him. But was unable to trace him

Grigg. O'Brien Murphy worthless Check

Warren King Blue Lantern

Dcuit a Saffron

April 13. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of Aty from 8 a m to 6 P. m

Quiet a Saffran

April 13. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty April 13. 1932 as his Daly off.

Quiet a Saffran

April 13. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered a Blue frame Bicycle. Reported Stolen by Joseph Baron 422 Spruce St. yesterday noon. I found it abandoned near the Corner of Fourth St. and watching one

Quiet a Saffran

April 13. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mr Van Sychle the Manager of the Swift and Company Beef House. On East Third St. he informed me that one of his Emplayees noticed a Circular Cut over a window latch made by a glass cutter This Window leads out on a front roof near the Street. The glass was not broken out however. and no Entry was made I informed the officer on that Post to keep a close watch on the Building.

Quiet a Saffran

April 13. 1932 Detective J Denny reports the Conditions were quiet otherwise throughout the City and Business Sections.

Quiet a Saffran

April 14. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Various Parts of the Business ad Residential sections of the Aty during the afternoon and Evening until 2 a m. and found Conditions quiet and orderly

Quiet a Saffran

April 14. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was an Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m

Lieut A Saffron

April 14. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr G. F. Mc Lean manager of the American Store at 600 East 2nd St. That some time during the night of april 12th an attempt was made to Enter the Store by a rear windaw. But could not find any prints or marks on the outside of the window from a jimmy were on the inside. No signs of a break in any other part of the Store. And nothing was missing from the Store.

Lieut A Saffron

April 14. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the Day he was on duty in Various Parts of the City. And found Conditions quiet.

Lieut A Saffron

April 15. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray questioned Louis Phillips age 12. of 1837 West 4th St and walter Stathowski age 10 of 342 Rushmore ave. at the Jefferson School about 2 watches that were missing from the class rooms. They admitted taking them and returned both watches. They Both Promised to do better in the future. and Mr Werner the Principal decided to give them anather Chance.

Lieut A Saffron

April 16. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in Various Parts of the City the Remainder of the Day. and found the Conditions quiet

Lieut A Saffron

April 15. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City. from 8 a m to 6 P. m

Lieut A Saffron

April 15. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he Spent considerable time in Checking up a list of delinquent holders of Library Books.

Leint a Soffron

April 15. 1932

Detective J Denny also answered a Call from Michael white of Grace Place and assisted Several other officers in Placing his Son Joseph white under arrest.

Leint a Soffron

April 15. 1932

Detective J Denny Covered different Parts of the City and Business Sections till 2.30 a m. and found Conditions quiet.

Leint a Soffron

April 16. 1932

Detective Seigt Gray and Leint a Soffron investigated a report of William Moore of 306 Emerson ave. Stating Same are between 8.30 a.m. and 6.45 P. m. to Day Entered his home while they were Both out working. about $6.00 in money was stolen from a locked Closet on the first fleor. all the drawers in the house were Ransacked and $4.00 in money was Stolen from a Dresser upstairs. We Could not find any Marks of a break and it look as though they used a Key

House Entered

Leint a Soffron

April 16. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in the West End of the City till 2 a m. Checking up on Suspicious places. But Could not see where the Law was Violated in any case so did not make an arrest

Leint a Soffron

April 16. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for duty at 3 P. m and on Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 10 P m.

Leint a Soffron

april 16. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 a.m. to 10 P.m.

Leiut a Saffran

april 16. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Mr and Mrs Clyde Deane of 11.00 Lorraine Ave in response to a Phone Call from them and they informed me. That an Italian man had walked up on there front Porch about 11 a.m. and after looking in the windows Knocked on the door. and asked for work. The maid answered. and told him They did not need any help. He Returned again about 4. P.m and did the same thing Mr Deane thought he might return in the Evening and asked that the officer on that Post be notified to Keep a close watch on the house Mr Deane Described the man as an Italian about 5 ft 7 tall. Dark complexion medium thin Build. about 40 years old. and was not dressed very well. I notified the men covering that Section.

Leiut a Saffran

april 16. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited different Sections of the City and business Sections during the day and found Conditions real quiet.

Leiut a Saffran

april 17. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m and Leiut a Saffran. and I placed Arthur Mayor of 174 Belvidere Ave Harwood N.J. under arrest at the Paramount Theatre charged with operating the Shows on Sunday. he was the manager for the three Theatres for Sunday

Leiut a Saffran

april 17. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday the 17th day of April. as his Day off.

Leiut a Saffran

april 17. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday april 17th as his day off.

Lieut a Soffron

april 17. 1932

hold up.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by George Cole of 1211 East Grant Street Stating while he was alone in his home at 8 P m. Sitting in the front room Three young men walked in the side door that was unlocked and pointed a gun at him demanded his money. He resisted at first. and in the Scuffle they Knocked over a Vase breaking it. He then handed them between $25.00 ar $30.00 he had in his pocket. He described them as white men between 20 and 25 years old. all wore light Caps and had on an Overcoat. and two just wore suits. Mr Cole said he Could not Identify them.

Lieut a Soffron

april 17 1932
arrest

Detective Sergt Gray Placed James Powell and Joseph Freiman under arrest on a warrant Charged with Malicous Mischief.

Lieut a Soffron

April 18. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P m and was on Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 8 P. m. and then toured the City in the Police Car. tell 2. a m. and found Everything quits.

Lieut a Soffron

April 18. 1932.

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at 8. a m at the Banks and Business Sections of the City to 6. P. m.

Lieut a Soffron

April 18. 1932

Burned to Death in her home by fire

Detective J Denny reports about 5 Pm he noticed the fire Departments travelling East on East Second St. to answer an alarm. I followed and noticed that they stopped at 114 Richmond Street where Smoke was coming from the rear of the house I entered the Kitchen through a rear door and found Chief Dunn and Several of his men Extinguishing a fire which was burning a table and a chair in there. The body of a woman lay in the center of the floor with all of her clothing burned off and her Skin Entirely Blackened from the top of her head to the Soles of her feet She showed no Signs of life and Dr Samuel Breslaw of Muhlenberg Hospital arrived and Pronounced her dead from Third Degree burns I learned that her name was Mrs Margaret McIntyre and she Kept house at that address for herself and her son John. From appearance it Seemed that Mrs McIntyre who is 82 years old was Preparing the Evening Meal on a Gas Stove when her Clothing became ignited. She then ran to the Sink and turned the water on in attempt to put out the flames But they must have overcome her and she fell against the table and chair and then to the floor Miss Katherine Gedolis who has a room upstairs Smelled Some Smoke and upon Coming down to investigate Saw Mrs McIntyre on the floor and some of her Clothing still burning. She attempted to beat out the flames. But was unable to due So. And then telephoned to the Fire Departm I notified Sergt Bader who in turn Called Dr Broke the Corner. And said to allow the County Undert Mr C. A. Higgins to remove the Body Mrs Christa Peterson a Daughter of Mrs McIntyres had been visiting her. And left her in good Spirits at 3.30 Pm. She was the last person apparently to See her alive.

Deist a Saffron

April 18. 1932

Detective J Denny reports That Mr E W. Slattery of 278 Myrtle ave Irvington N.J. informed me that on Friday afternoon April 15. 1932. Some one stole two Sample Suit Cases from his Car while it was Parked on west Second St near the Trinity Church between the hours of three and five O'clock These Cases were of wood and Covered with a Black veneering leather one was 32 x 18 21/2 with double handles and fastners on Either End. The other was 15 x 12 x 31/2 with double handles and a double Catch on top. Both Cases Contained Small Samples of biscuits made by the Weston Biscuit Company of Passaic and were Valued at 20 Dollars.

Lieut a Saffron

April 18. 1932

Entered St Marys Rectory $86.00 taken in Cash.

Detective J Denny along with Lieut a Saffron and officers Glynn We Investigated a report from Father Hennesey of the St Marys Church That Some one Entered the Rectory during the night and Ransacked two Rooms belonging to Father Moher who is away at Present About $86.00 in Cash was taken from a tin Box in Father Mohers desk Nothing Else Seemed to have been taken. The Sunday Collection was locked in a Safe and remained intact. We Could not locate any Signs of a forced Entry. But found Several lower windows unlocked But Could not find any fingerprints of Value. as both Father Brady and Father Hennesey were up until 1.15 a m. this Entrance must have been gained between then and 7.00 a.m. in the morning.

Lieut a Saffron

April 19. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 a m to 6 P m

Lieut a Saffron

April 19. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and at 4.30 P.m. west out with Lieut Edie and Corporal Bradley of the Pennsylvania State Police and obtained Statements from Mr Fike and Mr Farina in the investigation Conducted by Governor of Pennsylvania in Reperance to the arrest of the Fike & Farina and Baker boys last year also went to westfield to See a woman. But was unable to locate her.

Lieut a Soffron

April 19. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported the Remainder of the night. I was on Duty in the Vicinity of Liberty St. and west 3rd St. and Plainfield Ave.

Lieut a Soffron

April 19. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he went to the home of Mr. A. H. Fawcett at 1295 Denmark Rd upon hearing the fire apparatus traveling in that Direction and found the Side of a garage at the rear of the property on fire. The firemen were able to Extinguish it without difficulty and the damage amounted to about $25.00. I learned that Mrs Fawcetts maid had been burning papers in the yard near the garage and she left the fire unwatched some of the burning papers blew over against the garage and started the blaze.

Lieut a Soffron

April 19. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he Visited Various Parts of the City and business Sections during the day and Evening and found Conditions qui

Lieut a Soffron

April 20. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty april 20th as his Day off.

Lieut a Soffron

April 20. 1932

Detectives E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 am to 6 pm

Deint a Saffron

April 20. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he Spent Considerable time Collecting books for Miss Bowman of the Public Library and returned five of them Back to her.

Deint a Saffron

April 20. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he took Michael Lesky Back to the Veterans Hospital at Millington he had been found wondering around the Business Sections by officer Carrigan and appeared to be Slightly Demented.

Deint a Saffron

April 20. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he went to the home of Edward Whalen 324 Bergen St. in response to a Call that there was Some trouble in the house and learned that Whalen and his Landlady who Levered downstairs have been on bad termes. Due to Whalens failing to pay her rent due to her. He claimed she annoyed him so much that he Could not sleep. I instructed her as to her rights. and told her she Should stay away from Whalens apartment.

Deint a Saffron

April 21. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 Pm and was on Duty in the Business Sections till 8 a m. and went with Deint A Saffron and officers Baker & Sanatassio to raid a house at 215 Linn St. and Placed 14 People under arrest Charged with being disorderly persons also found Liquor and numbers Books.

Raided a Disorderly house

Deint a Saffron

April 21. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 7 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Deist a Saffran

April 21. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested John J. Griesmeyer of 727 East 6th St. on a warrant issued by Major Rass of the New Jersey National Guard and Charging him with failure to Pay a fine of twenty Five Dollars.

Deist a Saffran

April 21. 1932 Detective J Denny located and Searched the room of John Connor at 223 East 5th St. But did not find anything of a Suspiciaus nature there.

Deist a Saffran

April 21. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he returned a drivers License to William Harris of 1633 West Front St that was found up in Poughkeepsie N. Y. on a young man arrested as a Vagrant. Harris Said he Lost the wallet and License in the Plainfield Railroad Station about three months ago.

Deist a Saffran

April 22 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m and went to the Hospital to get a Statement from albert Strand age 5-9 of Number 1 Maple ave accident Metuchen who was injured in an accident at Watchung ave and Kensington Ave. I learned from Dr Breslaw That he was not Seriously injured and as he was in the X ray room I did not get the Statement.

Deist a Saffran

April 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray arrested Mrs Lavinia Daniels of 140 North Ave on a warrant charged with Non Support of her Four Children.

Deist a Saffran

April 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr John Retzer of 209 East 2nd St. That at 5 P.m. he was in his tailor Shop at the Sewing machine. When he heard glass break looking up he saw two boys running out of the drive way. and a small hole in the window. It looked like it was made by a 22 Caliber Bullet

Lieut A Soffron

April 22. 1932

Money Stolen

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Harry Barry 173 North ave. Plainfield N J informed me that same ane between noon and three P.m a small childs Bank Containing about $4.30 and three Dollars in a Ladies Pocket Book was Stolen from his Apartment. There were no signs of a forced Entry and I learned that Mrs Barrys Brother Harold Starrs of 604 West Grant Street had been around the house for quiet awhile during the day. He has been in trouble before on Larceny Charges and all indecations in this Case points to his taking the money I Could not Locate him today But will do so

Lieut A Soffron

April 22. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Conditions otherwise were quiet throughout the City.

Lieut A Soffron

April 22. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 A.m to 6 P.m

Lieut A Soffron

April 23. 1932

Detectives Sergt Gray Canvased the west End of the City. And warned the Store Keepers not to Sell any Sling Shots or darts. I found Sling Shots in two Stores.

Lieut A Soffron

April 23. 1932

worthless Check

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by George Singer of 105 East Front St. That a Brown Skin Colored man age 20 years old Slim Build came into his Store at 139 west Front St. and purchased a pair of blue trousers with a white stripe. a white Shirt. and a blue Sweater paying Mr Mitzie with a Check which was returned from the Bank. Marked No account. Made a Canvas of the Colored Section But Could not locate him. Mr Mitzie is the Manager of the Store.

Lieut. a Saffron

April 23. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 10 P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

April 23. 1932

Carriage was Returned April 28th 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reports that Mrs J Roszka of 946 West 3rd St Reported to him at 12.20 P m that her Baby Carriage which She had left in front of Silverk 5 & 10 Cents Store was Stolen I made a Search of the Vicinity. But was unable to Locate the Carriage. The Carriage was returned on April 28th 1932 to Mrs Roszka.

Lieut a Saffron

April 23. 1932

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House Entered

Detective J Derry Visited the home of Mrs Fox 615 west 9th St. Shortly after 1. a m. in response to a Call from her. That Some one had been in her house. I learned that her Son Came home about 1.00 a m. and as he was going upstairs he heard a Crash apparently outside. Mrs Fox also woke up. and Called Police Headqtrs. Several other Officers and myself Searched the house. And Came to Conclusion that a man had been in the house and jumped from the Second Story window landing upon a Cellar door. and breaking off a wooden brace. Nothing was disturbed or taken So the intruder must have been frightened away at the Sons approaching. Mrs Fox or her Son did not See the person at all So we Could not give any Discription of him all the surrounding and territory was thoroughly Searched. But we Could not

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April 23. 1932 not get trace of any Suspicious Persons. The thief Either Entered through a cellar door or through the rear Kitchen door which was found unlocked

Deint a Soffron

April 23. 1932 Detective J Denny Covered the Business Section and Residential Sections until 3.30 a m.

Deint a Soffron

April 23. 1932 Detective J Denny reports That at 11.45 P. m. I went to the home of Mr H A Wintermute at 825 Field ave after he had called Headqtr. Stating that he observed a man coming in his bed room window I learned from him that at about 11.40 P m he and his wife were suddenly awakened by a slight noise and both saw the figure of a man coming in off a side porch roof through the bed room window Mr Wintermute yelled at the fellow. and he jumped from his bed. to try and catch him. The intruder ran down across the roof and Either Sprang or slid down. The porch posts. He did not get Enough of a look at him to see if he was White or Black. after leaving the house he ran over in the direction of Eighth St. Nothing in the house was disturbed or taken. There may be some finger prints on the window Sill or on the Porch Posts.

attempt to Enter the house.

Deint a Soffron

April 23. 1932

Pages 127 & 128 Detective J Denny reports in Company with Adolph Imron. and another Citizen I assisted Russell Haugland of 520 Central Ave. Cranford N J to the Muhlenberg Hospital after he had been Struck by an automobile while Crossing the Street, infront of Harry De Mezas Store on East Front St. at about 9.15 P. m. He left the Store at Started to Cross the Street. when he became Confused. and walked into the front of a Car owned by and driven by Mr George Vane of Green Brook Road and Arnold ave. North Plainfield Mr Vane was driving East and Stopped his Car immediately and assisted Mr Haugland into

Accident

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CITY OF PLAINFIELD, SEPTEMBER 17, 1935

3RD WARD—1ST ELECTION DISTRICT

The polling place for this election district is

Stillman School, West Fifth Street and Arlington Avenue

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To vote for any person whose name is printed upon this ballot mark a cross × or plus + wit
lead pencil in the square at the left of the name of such person.

To vote for any person whose name is not printed upon this ballot write or paste the nam
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at the left of the name of such person.

For Member of the State Senate — **Vote for One**

- ☐ WALTER H. COLE — Regular Organization Democrat
- ☐

For Members of the General Assembly — **Vote for Four**

- ☐ FRANCIS J. REGULA
- ☐

For Members of the Common Council at Large

- ☐ W. HOWARD FISHER
- ☐ VAUGHN C. MACKEY
- ☐ LEO HIRSCH
- ☐

April 23 1932

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april 23. 1932 accident — De Meza & Bliman Store. Dr Patterson at the Hospital said that Hoagland suffered a fracture of the wrist and bruised upon the legs Vane was booked at Police Headqts on a charge of an automobile assault

Lieut a Saffron

april 24. 1932 — Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty april 24th as his Day off

Lieut a Saffron

april 24. 1932 — Detective J Denny was off Duty april 24th as his Day off

Lieut a Saffron

april 24. 1932 arrest — Detective Sergt Gray and Lieut a Saffron Visited the Paramount & Oxford & Strand Theatres to day and found all of them operating. and Placed Raymond Parks of 25.15 South Plainfield NJ under arrest as the manager of the Three Theatres for that day Sunday. Charged with operating Shows on Sunday

april 24. 1932 — Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various parts of the City and found Conditions Quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

april 25. 1932 — Detective J Denny Visited different Parts of the City during the Day. and Evening until 2. a m. and found Conditions quiet and orderly. I attended a meeting of the union County Pistol League in Elizabeth and a Schedule was drawn up Comprising Six teams and Starting on May 5 1932

Lieut a Saffron

april 25. 1932 — Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks. and was on Duty at the Business Sections of the City from 8 a. m to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

april 25. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made By Mr Best the Principal of the High School that on april 15th Adolph Wichowski of 123 Elmwood Place left his Coronet Valued at $27.50 in his locker in the morning and at 2 Pm it was gone. I Learned that Saturday three Boys age about 14 or 15 years old tried to sell a Coronet to Eddie Jay on Madison ave. Mr Jay did not know the boys But thinks he could identify them if he saw them.

Lieut a Saffran

april 25. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Tried to Locate Nathan Suffness of 146 North ave. Who is wanted in Rahway on a warrant. I learned that he was in New York for the Day.

Lieut a Saffran

april 25. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffran

april 26. 1932

Larceny of a Coronet

Detective Sergt Gray Continued the investigation of the larceny of a Coronet owned by Adolph Wichowski from the high School on April 15th and Learned that on last Saturday three Boys all aged about 14 years old offered to Sell a Coronet to Eddie Jay on Madison ave and also to Mr Taylor who has a music store on west Front St. They wanted $2.00 for it but Both men refused to buy it. They went with me to the High School. But they could not Identify any Boys there as the ones that was in there Stores.

Lieut a Saffran

april 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray continued the investigate in the Case of a Bad Checks Passed an Several Merchants by a Colored Boy about 19 years old slim build and Brown Skin. on information received from a Merchant he feel Sure the Boys name
Bad Check. is William Butler. and he lives in the last house on West 4th St. on the North Side before coming to Grant ave. I advised Mr Ginger to make a Complaint against him. Before we pick him up.

Leiut a Saffron

april 26. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray interviewed Mrs George Nelson of 29 Somerset Place North Plainfield. Who name is forged by a woman to four Checks passed an Merchants in the City Mrs Nelson Said the only one person. She Suspects is Mrs Martha Welch now living with Mrs Beggs on Watchung ave. Mrs Welch is over 50 years old. and is very deaf. The woman passing the Checks is discribed as about 30 years old and well dressed about 5 ft 4 tall.

Leiut a Saffron

april 26. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was on duty in Various parts of the City the remainder of the day and found Conditions quiet.

Leiut a Saffron

april 26. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 6. P. m.

Leiut a Saffron

april 26. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested Mitchell Reynolds of 402 East 6th St. on a warrant from Irvington charging him with failing at appear after Receiving a Summons

Leiut a Saffron

april 26. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he located Mrs John Pellegrin at 515 Madison ave. and advised her to write to her mother in Richmond she said she would.

Lieut a Saffiotti

april 26. 1932

Detective J Denny learned that a Colored woman with Three Children that was to be sent South by Miss Holly boarded the Baltimore & Ohio train leaving Plainfield at 7.30 P.m. She bought a ticket for Washington D.C.

Lieut a Saffiotti

april 27. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty all Day april 27. as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffiotti

april 27. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffiotti

april 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he went to the Hexter Rieht Bakery on South ave in reponse to a Phone Call that two Boys were trapped in a room there while they were attempting to steal some Cake. I found that the two Boys were August Alberina age 11 years old and Leonardo Saponi aged 13 years. They were attempting to steal some Stale Cakes when Caught. The Manager did not want them taken to the Juvenile Court as he would be unable to appear against them so I gave them a good reprimand and then took them home to their Parents.

Lieut a Saffiotti

april 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Conditions otherwise were quiet throughout the City.

Lieut a Saffiotti

april 28. 1932

attempting suicide

Detective Sergt Gray placed Mary Morelli of 902 Leland ave under arrest at the Muhlenberg Hospital charged with attempting Suicide.

Levi a Saffran

april 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray made a canvas of the Stores in the City trying to locate a Suede jacket and Rifle Stolen from Dr Hirschs Car. But could not locate it in any Stores.

Levi a Saffran

april 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Left a warrant at the North Plainfield Police Headqtrs for the arrest of Nathan Suppners.

Levi a Saffran

april 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray questioned Fred Seder and Howard Lawrence and Michael Case all about 11 years old. at the Irving School in reperance to Rabbits the Boys have in there possession Seder now has one Rabbit which he purchased from Lawrence. Could not connect them with any Rabbit Stolen.

Levi a Saffran

april 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on duty at the High School at a meeting held by the Labor Unions of Plainfield

Levi a Saffran

april 28. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered a green Victor Wheel that was Stolen from the Library during that the afternoon. It was abandoned on the High School property and belonged to Isaac Goldberg of 431 west Sixth St.

Levi a Saffran

april 28. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Levi a Saffran

April 25. 1932

Detective J Denny reports the remained on duty at the High School throughout the meeting held by the Central Labor union. and found conditions orderly and quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

April 25. 1932 Detective J Denny visited different parts of the city. later in the Evening and found Everything Quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

April 29. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9. a. m. and tried to Locate Raymond Dunger who is wanted by Miss Putnam for violating his parole But was unable to find him

Lieut a Saffron

April 29. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Teletype report Sent here by the State Police of Belden Mass. about a former Employee of Miss Hartridge who is held there a suspicion. Learned that he worked for Miss Hartridge for two months in 1927 and did not have a Police record here

Lieut a Saffron

April 29. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the Day he was on Duty in Various parts of the City. and found conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

April 29. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks. and Business Sections of the City from 8. a. m. to 6. P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

april 29. 1932

attempt to Enter the Store.

Detective J Denny reports that he investigated a call from officer Wingenried. that he found Evidences of an attempt to Enter the american stores at the corner of Richmond st and Second st. Before midnight I found that the glass in the rear window was Smashed with a rock and the windaw was raised about two inches Due to it sticking. The thief could not raise it any higher and no Entrance was gained. I could not discover any Prints of Value around the windaw.

Ernest a Saffran

april 29. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he Visited the Various Parts of the City during the day and Evening and found Conditions quiett.

Ernest a Saffran

april 30. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports for Duty at 3. P m and was on duty in the Business Sections of the City till 6 P m. and was on Duty at the carnival grounds from 7.30 P. m till 8.15 P m. and from 9.30 P. m till 11.45 P. m. and toured the city in the Police Car from 11.45 P m till 1 a m. and found Conditions quiet.

Ernest a Saffran

april 30. 1932

money Stole from Locker at Y. m. c. a.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Edward Boyle Instructor at the Y m c a. That Some time Between 7.30 P. m and midnight his locker was Entered. his wallet was Stolen Containing between $60.00 and $70.00 in money and other Papers. Boyle brought an Employee of the Y. M. c. a. to Police Headqtrs. a Colored man named George Skillman Colored age 22 years old of 1263 Arlington ave. as a Suspect. I questioned him till 3 a m and am Satisfied he did not have Enough Evidence to hold him on.

Ernest a Saffran

April 30. 1932

attempted to cash a Check of $42.00 in his store

Detective E Mc Garry reports That Harry DeMega of 120 East Grant St. Reports to me at 4 P.M. that a white man. age about 30 years old. 5-ft 8 tall. 140 Lbs. Dark Complexion. Wearing a grey hat. and a gray top Coat. and wore a Blue Suit with a White Strike. Attempted to Cash a Check in his Store. The man represented himself as H. Summerfield of 10.10 West 6th St The Check was drawn on a Sandusky Ohio Bank for $42.00 He also showed a Pass on the Erie R.R. when Mr Harry De Mega left his Store to Call up from an outside Telephone He Met me. and when we Seached the Store again the man was gone I made a thorough Search for the man. But was unable to Locate him. Detective J Denny was Detailed on the Case.

Geist a Saffran

April 30. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City. from 9 a.m to 6 P. m.

Geist a Saffran

April 30. 1932

arrest of two men.

Detective J Denny and officer Bahl arrested Clifford Lipshaw and James Butts while in the act of fighting at the Corner of Plainfield ave. and West 3rd St.

Geist a Saffran

April 30. 1932

Detective J Denny also reports that he Visited different Parts of the City and Business Sections during the day. and at the Carnival grounds during the Evening.

Geist a Saffran

May 1st 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday May 1st as his Day off.

Geist a Saffran

May 1st 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday May 1st as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

May 1st 1932 Detective Sergt Gray and Lieut a Saffron Placed Louis Sylvester of 163 Water St under arrest at the Paramount Theatre. Charged with maintaining a Disorderly house by Operating Theatres on Sunday

Lieut a Saffron

May 1st 1932 Detective Sergt Gray and officers Jonas & Erber arrested William Fowles of 226 Liberty St. at 507 W. 3rd St Charged with having a number Book in his Possession

Lieut a Saffron

May 1st 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that he investigated a report made by Mrs Hawkins stating while she was Playing Cards on the 3rd floor of a friends house at Plainfield ave & West 5th St her husband who is wanted down South for jail Breaking Came in. Officers Jonas & Erber and I Searched the house but he left about 15 minutes before. He was seen with two other Colored men in a large Sedan Car with Penn Licence Plates on. We Searched Every Street in the City and Scotch Plains but was unable to Locate him up till 1.30 a m.

Lieut a Saffron

May 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Joseph Ferrara of 360 Harold St R. P. That while he had his Car Parked at the East Bound R.R. Station

Stolen over Coat about 15 minutes Some one Stole his Blue over Coat Valued at $30.00 and it Contained his Bank Book number 35077 on the Plainfield Trust Co. advised him to Stop Payment on it I questioned several People at the Station But they did not See it or See any one Suspicious around.

Lieut a Saffron

May 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty at the Carnival grounds from 7.30 P.m until Midnight and found Conditions quiet.

Leist a Saffron

May 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m and was on Duty in the Business Sections till 7 P.m. and then toured the City in the Police Car and found Conditions quiet.

Leist a Saffron

May 2. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9. A m to 6 P. m

Leist a Saffron

May 2. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he investigated the theft of a light Brown overcoat from a Car of James Mull of 24 Orchard Place. Summit N J. which was Parked on West 2nd St West of Central ave I learned from a Lady living in the Apartment nearby that she heard a Crash of glass at about 9.45 P.m. and upon looking out saw a young Colored man taking the Coat through a broken window. He Put it under his arm and walked quickly toward New St. He was Medium Brown Skin. 5 ft 9 tall. Thin of Build and wore a grey Suit and no hat.

Stolen overcoat

Leist a Saffron

May 2. 1932

Detective J Denny also Visited Harry De Meza in regards to attempt to Pass a worthless Check on him. Mr De Meza said that this young fellow Visited his Store about Three weeks ago. and asked for a Particular Brand of a hat. which he did not Carry. and then departed. he came in Saturday again. and ordered about $18.00 worth of Shirts and Sacks & ties etc then tendered a Check for $48.00 drawn on a Sandusky Ohio Bank. Mr De Meza would not accept the Check. and when he went out to call a Policeman the man disappeared He noticed while this fellow was trying on a Suit

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May 2. 1932 That the clother he was wearing bare a trade mark of a Patersun N.J. firm. He also Exhibitied an Erie Railroad Pass. But the name on it was not noticable. The address he gave here of H. Summerfield 1010 west Sixth St was fictitious name & Place & Number

Leut a Saffron

May 3. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was an Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m. to 6 Pm

Leut a Saffron

May 3. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 Pm. and was on Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 7:30 Pm. Then on Duty at the Carnival grounds till midnight.

Leut a Saffron

May 3. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Antonia Mazzetta Jr. Salvatore Fusci & Joseph Yoniello and Antonia Mazzetta Sr. on a warrant charged them with disorderly conduct by Destraying a barn at the rear of 422 East Third St. also arrested Harry Rumph on a warrant Sworn out by his daughter and charged with disorderly Conduct.

arrest of 4 men

Leut a Saffron

May 3. 1932 Detective J Denny also Visitied Various Park of the City. and business Sections during the day and found Conditions quiet.

Leut a Saffron

May 4. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was an Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 A.M to 6 Pm

Leut a Saffron

May 4. 1932 Detectives Sergt Gray was off Duty Wednesday May 4th at his Day off.

Leut a Saffron

May 4. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered a Bicycle that was Stolen from B. anderson of 5:31 W. Third st. on Monday night. I learned that James Kelly of 502 East 2nd St. 15 years old. and George Johnson of 318 arlington ave age 13 years old had taken it and took it Apart. I returned it to the owner Anderson. The Johnson Boy and another boy by the name of John Bailey living at 500 Richmond St. told me that they broke into the american store at the Corner of Second St. and Richmond St. on two different occasions They also said that James Kelly of 502 East 2nd St was with them.

Levit a Saffron

May 5. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and was ak Duty in the Business Section of the city tell 7.30 P.m. and was on Duty at the Carnival grounds from 7.30 P.m until Midnight Then toured the City in the Police Car. until 2 a.m

Levit a Saffron

May 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray & officer muggins arrested Louis Lendway of South Plainfield at the Carnival grounds. Charged with Carrying Concealed weapons

Levit a Saffron

May 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made to me by Samuel Ricci of 325 East 2nd Street that ~~Some~~ while ago his Bicycle was stolen from his home. And Alfred Mungion of 125 North ave. had a Bicycle like his. I questioned Mungion and he said he purchased it from Hugo De Rosa of 942 East Front St. Rosa Identified the Bicycle as his. I have not seen De Rosa as yet.

Levit a Saffron

May 5. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Soffran

May 5. 1932 Detective J. Denny reported on Duty in different Parts of the City and Business Sections during the Day and found conditions quiet.

Lieut a Soffran

May 5. 1932 Detective J Denny also attended a Pistol match held in the afternoon at Kenilworth.

Lieut a Soffran

May 6. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3.8 a.m. and was on Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 7.30 P.m. and was on Duty at the Carnival grounds from 7.30 P.m. until Midnight and found Conditions quiet Remainder of the night was on Duty touring the City in the Police Car.

Lieut a Soffran

May 6. 1932

Embezzlement Detective Sergt Gray in Company with Detectives Reilly. I Placed Homer Scrutch of 700 Webster Place under arrest. Charged with the Embezzlement of $263.00 from the Prudential Ins Co.

Lieut a Soffran

May 6. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Soffran

May 6. 1932 — Detectives J Denny reports that Leint A Saffran and myself noticed a ford Roadster Car Registration number 3 Y-447 N.J. drive off the Premises Known as 1190 woodland ave. Plainfield N.J. at 9.55 a m and followed it for considerable Distance. We stopped this Car. on East seventh St. near Leland ave at 10.00 a m. After the driver had failed to stop at a stop sign on the corner of East Seventh St. and woodland ave. We brought the driver Louis Rosenwig of 1016 Bryant ave. Bronx New York City. and Samuel Gottlieb of 978 Alders St. Bronx New York City. who was a Passenger in the car with him to Police Headqts upon Searching the Car we found that there was 15 five gallon Cans filled with alcohol. hidden in the rumble seat section of the Car. We placed these two men under arrest. and notified the Federal agents Davey and Smith who took Charge of them and also destroyed the Liquor after securing Samples of it.

Liquor Case

Leint A Saffran

May 6. 1932 — Detective J Denny and Leint A Saffran secured a Search-Warrant signed by Judge William G. DeMuza authorizing us to search the premises at 1190 Woodland ave. Plainfield N.J. after we had apprehended the driver of the Ford Car. transporting Ninety gallons of Liquor from this Property. We Entered the house a two and a half Story frame structure through a rear door at about 12. a m. being admitted by a woman giving the name of Anna Lash who Said that She was hired as a housekeeper. Leint Saffran read the Search warrant to her and then accompanied by officers George Weiss. James Mansfield. W. L. Peterson and Donald Patterson. We proceeded to Search the house. We found a man giving the name of Samuel Rosenwig making up hose Connections on the Second floor. on the third floor or attic we found a five hundred gallon Copper Still ready for operation. There was also thirty Large Vats of mash on the floor nearly. We turned this Seizure over to Federal agents Davey & Smith who Summoned a wrecking Crew to destroy the Still. and Connections as well as the mash. The men Poured Kerosene into Each Vat to destroy it. The agents also took Charge of the man and woman found on the place

Liquor & Still Case.

Leint A Saffran

May 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m and went to Newark Police Headqtr. and placed Henry Robinson of Irvington under arrest charged with issueing worthless Checks. and was also on duty at the Carnival grounds from 7.30 P m. until midnight

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray also investigated a report made by Mr Douglas Martin of 1366 George St. That some time between 8 a m. and 1 P m. his house was Entered by some one useing a Key to the front door That had a Common lock. on. all the bureau drawers was ransacked. and Some articles of little Value was stolen. Mr martin will give us a list later. A man was seen Entering the rear door. By a Boy and he described him as a white man about 6 ft 2 tall. and wore a Blue suit. and a dark overcoat.

House Entered

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 10 P m

May 7. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he Covered Various Parts of the City and Business Sections during the afternoon and Evening and also the Carnival grounds on Garfield Ave. and found Conditions quiet all around.

May 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray and Detective a Saffron Visited the Paramount × Orpord × Strand theatres and witnessed the Shows and Selling of tickets. We then placed the Manager Frederick Schaumiker of 7th Place. Newellen under arrest charged with Maintaining a disorderly house.

arrest.

The remaining of the day I was on Duty in Various Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Detective a Saffron

May 9. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday May 8th as his Day off

Lieut a Saffron

May 9. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday May 8th as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

May 9. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that in Company with an Investigater from the State home at Vineland. I visited Several Parts of the City trying to locate Elora Conger white age 20 years. 526 West 3rd St. Virginia Taylor aged 40 years old of 5th Jefferson ave. Both of these woman the latter Colored - Escaped from the institution recently. We were not able to get any trace of Either of them but I will Continue to watch for them.

Lieut a Saffron

May 9. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Conditions otherwise were quiet throughout the City and Business Sections.

Lieut a Saffron

May 9. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffron

May 9. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray with Lieut a Saffron did investigate the report made by Mr Russell Gerhune the manager of the Strand Theatre. That about 9.05 a.m. to day two men came to the office door of the Theatre. as he was about to take the money to the Bank. and one of the men held a gun to him and ordered him to put his hands up. Then the other man tied him up. with a piece of string. and put a handkerchief in his mouth. They then took two Bags from the desk. which Contained $19.00.00 and walked out. I made a Canvas of the Stores in the Vicinity. But could not find any person who Saw the men Enter or Leave the Theatre.

Held up at the Strand Theatre.

Lieut a Saffron

May 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the Day was on Duty in Various parts of the City.

Levi a Saffron

May 10. 1932

House Entered and Robbed.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr. Stevens of 904 Grant ave. That some time between 10. P.m & 11.30 P.m. last night his home was entered by the Cellar door and Several articles of jewelry. and about $25.00 in Cash was stolen. Mr and Mrs Stevens came home in one Car and his Son and daughter followed them in the other Car. as the son turned from Grant ave to Stelle ave. The lights Shown on the two young men #1 man wore a tan leather coat and Brown felt hat with brim pulled down. and dark pants Medium build #2 man was a little taller. wore a Dark suit. and gray Cap.

Levi a Saffron

May 10. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was working on the Strand Theatre hold up with Mr Payson of the Pinkerton Detective agency. He will be at Police Headqts to morrow to see the Chief.

Levi a Saffron

May 10. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 am to 6 P.m.

Levi a Saffron

May 10. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested Andrew Rennie on a warrant charging him with the Non Support of a Son in North Plainfield. he also Covered different Parts of the City and Business Sections during the day and Evening and found Conditions quiet and orderly.

Levi a Saffron

May 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty May the 11th as his day off.

Levi a Saffron

May 11. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Quiet & Safe

May 11. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that I went to the Corner of Madison ave. and Grant St. in response to a phone call from a Mr. R. H. Williams janitor of the Endress Building that two men were acting suspicously around a Corner Cigar Store there upon my arriving. I found Clarence Coles 309 Plainfield ave Colored and C Norton 209 Watching ave. also Colored there arguing with one another. I learned that Coles pushed Norton: Entering the Orford Theatre with his wife Coles struck Norton slightly. and they Continued to the argue from the Vicinity of the Theatre down to Madison ave. as neither wanted to make a Complaint against Each other. I started them off on their way home. and John Ritzer in regards to their Knowledge of the larceny of Thomas Reisers automobile.

Quiet & Safe

May 12. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that he Summoned Eugene De Raso of 942 East Front St. and Alfred Innigiane of 1257 North ave to Court for the larceny of a Bicycle property of Frank Pepalillo of 325 East 2nd St. Plainfield N.J.

Quiet & Safe

May 12. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported the Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Quiet & Safe

May 12. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he was attending a Pistol league Match in Kenilworth during the afternoon.

Quiet & Safe

May 12. 1932

Detective J Denny attended the grand Jury setting in Elizabeth during the Morning Concerning the arrest of James Gate for the Possession of Lottery tickets.

Geint a Gaffron

May 12. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Conditions were quiet throughout the City and residential Sections.

Geint a Gaffron

May 13. 1932

Detective E mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m. to 6 P. m and also reported for duty at the Circus grounds from 7 P. m. to 11.30 P. m.

Geint a Gaffron

May 13. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reports that he was on Duty at the Banks. and Business Sections from 8. a m. to 6. P. m.

Geint a Gaffron

May 13. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he visited the Circus grounds and remained on Duty there during the Entire afternoon and Evening.

Geint a Gaffron

May 14. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P m and on duty in Various parts of the City till 2. a m and found Conditions quiet.

Geint a Gaffron

May 14. 1932

Detective E mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a. m. to 6 P m

Geint a Gaffron

May 14. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he went to Kreiger Store in response to a call from Mr alden the Manager. and found that he had caught two young girls in the act of Stealing articles from the Counters. They had about $4.50 worth when apprehended. They gave their names as Theresa Capasso of Mountain ave Lincoln N.J. age 11 years old. No mother. and agnes Einhalty Wilson St. Lincoln N.J. aged 10 years old. No Father. as the manager did not wish to take the time to go to Elizabeth to the Juvenile Court. I brought the girls to there homes and assured them as well as their Parents. I found Conditions quiet and orderly thrangh out the town otherwise

Deint a Saffron

May 14. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny reports he arrested Roland Southard. and Francis Mc Donough in Mountain-side. Charged them with the Larceny of an auto from the Circus grounds.

Deint a Saffron

May 15. 1932

Detective J Denny reported off Duty May 15th Sunday as his Day off.

Deint a Saffron

May 15. 1932

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray reports for Duty at 3 P.M and was with Deint Saffron and Visited the Strand × Paramount × Axford Theatres and witnessed the Selling of tickets and the Shows. Placed Mr Frank P. gilmore of 149 Parkside Drive. Plainfield under arrest as Manager of the three houses. Charged with allowing Shows to operate on Sunday

May 15. 1932

Deint a Saffron

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day toured the City in the Police Car till 2. a. m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

May 16. 1932

Detective E McGarry reported on Duty at the Bank and Business Sections from 8 a.m. till 6 P.m

Detct a Saffron

May 16. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Reported for Duty at 3 P.m and was on Duty in Various Parts of the city till 7 P.m. Then on duty at the Carnival grounds in the west end till 11.45 P.m. Then toured the city in the Police till 1.15 a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Detct a Saffron

May 16. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he went to 148 Netherwood ave to the home of Mr William Lippincott at 6.25 P.m. upon hearing of a Still alarm of fire and found that the tar paper or rather rubberoid covering on the garage had started to burn due to his throwing a few lighted Embers too Close to it Mary Gabler a neighbor was abl to Extinguish it before the firemen arrived. The damage amounted to about $5.00.

Detct a Saffron

May 16. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Joseph Vitto of 623 South 2nd St. informed me that a girl whom he and his wife had befriended and given a couple of nights lodging left this morning at about 11 a.m. from his home and carried away with her a 38 Calibre Bankers Special revolver Valued at $30.00 a Cameo ring Valued at $25.00 and a ruby ring Valued at $25.00 This girl had been in Plainfield for about a week and was supposed to have come from Pennsylvania Ave. in Newark N.J. She gave her name as anna De Barton and at another time as anna O'Neill. She is about 5 ft 3 tall. 119 lbs. 24 years old. Dark Complexion. Black hair. Black hat and Coat and Shoes. I Searched the town thoroughly along with Vitto for her But Could not Locate her. She Probably left to go back to Newark. Vitto signed a Complaint against her.

Detct a Saffron

May 17. 1932

Detective Seigt Gray reported for duty at 3 P.m and was on Duty in Various parts of the city and the Carnival grounds till 2. a m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffran

May 17. 1933

clothes stolen from outlet store

Detective E. Mc Garry reports. S Preyger the Proprietor of the outlet Clothing Store of 120 west Grant St. reported that at 4 30 P. m. two men came into his Store while he was Busy waiting on a Customer. The two men was looking over some Suits of clothes. and when Preyger went to wait on them they walked out of the store. and down Somerset street Preyger followed them because one of the men acted Suspicious as they left the Store Carring his top Coat. thrown across his shoulder Preyger could not tell if the men got into a Car or not when he returned to the Store. he found that 2 light gray suits size 40 and 42 was missing and man is discribed as being 6 ft tall. about 26 years old. 170 Lbs. Light Complexion. The other man. 5 ft 8 tall. age about 34 years old. 165 Lbs. Gray hat. Light tan top Coat. This was reported at Headqts at 5:15 P. m.

Deint a Saffran

May 17. 1932

Detective. E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks. and Business Section from 8. a m to 6 P. m.

Deint a Saffran

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May 17. 1932

Counterfeit $20.00 Bill Case.

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Alphonso Baumpano 305 Garfield ave. Plainfield N.J. informed him that on Monday May 16. 1932. a Mrs W. G. Smith of 360 Emerson ave. Plainfield N.J. came into his store at the former address and purchased about seventy five cents worth of merchandise. She gave to Mrs Baumpano a twenty Dollar Bill. and Mrs Baumpano took the Bill and gave her back nineteen Dollars. and twenty five Cents. in change. The Bill looked good to Mrs Baumpano and she kept it until she went to the market in Newark this morning to get some Produce she tendered it to a Merchant there and he handed it Back to her saying that it was of no Value. She then brought it back to Plainfield with her. and asked Smith to make good the amount of the Bill I questioned him and he said he received it along with another twenty Dollar Bill from Mrs Louis K. Hyde. yesterday as Payment of his wages. He is Employed by her as a Chauffeur. He says she generally gets all her cash from the Plainfield Trust Co Bank. I Examined the Bill and the Paper seems to be of inferior quality but the Engraving is very good. There is a picture of Jackson on it and it is signed by A. W. Mellon as Secretary. and W. G. Wade as Treasurer. The number on it is B 6005 430 A. and is Series of 1928. Baumpano also informed me that on Saturday May 14. 1932 at about 5 P.m Mrs Mary Colucci of 1011 George St Paid $20.00. on a book account. to Mrs Baumpano in the form of a twenty Dollar Bill. and when he Mr Baumpano used it to Pay. Grunspan Bros for some Groceries. The Bookkeeper told him. she thought it was a Counterfeit. She informed him later that they had sent it to the Bank. and it was declared a Counterfeit. I learned from George Colucci Mrs Colucci Son that he had Cashed his Pay Check for a few Cents over $69.00. on Saturday and he received from a teller at the Plainfield Savings Bank. two $20.00. two $10.00 Bills. and one $5.00 Bill. and four $1.00 Bills. He gave one of these two twenty Dollar Bills to his Father. who in turn gave it to his wife to Pay to Baumpano

over

May 17.1932 on the grocery account This was the Bill that was given to Grunspan Bros. I have not seen it as yet so do not Know its Number I saw the other Bill given to Colucci on Saturday at the Bank. And it is a genuine one so Both of these had Bad Bills Evidently been handed out by the Plainfield Banks.

Lieut a Saffran

May 18.1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty all Day Wednesday May 18th as his Dayoff

Lieut a Saffran

May 18.1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m

Lieut a Saffran

May 18.1932 Detective J Denny reports that he appeared in Elizabeth before the Grand Jury in the Case of the State vs George Hoagland.
I also Continued the Investigation of the appearance of two twenty Dollar Bills which were Counterfeit in the East End of the City.

Lieut a Saffran

May 18.1932 Detective J Denny reports he Visited Louis Palus at 24 Jefferson ave North Plainfield and requested him to repair a fence on his west Third St. Property which he said he would.

Lieut a Saffran

May 19.1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m.

Lieut a Saffran

May 19. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 7 P.m. and then on Duty at the Carnival till midnight. and then toured the City in the Police Car. till 2. a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deist a Saffron

May 19 1932

Detective J Denny reports that in Company with officer Thomas O Gorman they took Peter Martin to Greystone Park. to be admitted as a Patient.

Deist a Saffron

May 19. 1932

Detective J Denny attended a Pistol Match at Kenilworth.

Deist a Saffron

May 19. 1932

worthless Check given to Charles Keller at the Motor Parking garage

Detective J Denny visited the Motor Parking Garage on Cleveland ave. and learned that two Men. bought a 600 x 21 tire and a 600 x 21 tube from Charlie Keller. the night attendent at about 7.45 - 8 P.m. on last Saturday and gave Mr Keller a Check for $22.00 to cover the cost of the tires which was $13.67. They Received $8.33 in Change from Mr Keller. and departed. The Check Came Back on Tuesday from the Bank. marked a Fraud. This Check was drawn by the Standard Insurance Co. on the. Chase National Bank. of New York. The Man Known as J.K. Howard was 36. years old. 5 ft 6 tall. 130 Lbs. Slender Build. Dark. Complexion. Thin face. Clean Shaven. wears glasses. and a blue Suit with a Soft grey hat. The other was Known as Samuel Martin. was 38 years old. 5 ft 8 tall. 170 Lbs. Dark hair. long in Back. Sallow Complexion. Clean Shaven. and wearing a grey Suit with grey felt hat. They took the tire and tube. with them. This Pair did not seem to have a Car.

Deist a Saffron

May 20. 1932

Detective Sergt Geary reported for Duty at 3. P.m and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 7 P.m. and then went on Duty at the Carnival grounds till mid night and then toured the City in the Car. till 2. a.m. and found Conditions Quiet.

Levitt A Saffron

May 20. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8. a.m to 6 P.m.

Levitt A Saffron

May 20. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited The arcad Lunch Restaurant at 184 East Grant St in response to a call from the Proprietor Nick Patellis. and learned from him that a man came to his Cigar Counter at about 9.30 P.m. and purchased three Cigars for Thirty Cents. He gave Patellis a twenty Dollar Bill and after Patellis gave him back. the $19.70 Change. he Suddenly Said he had the right Change. Meaning Thirty Cents. and asked him for the twenty Dollar Bill Back. Patellis reached into the Register and gave him the Bill. But was Shortchanged. $5.00 in Receiving the Bills Back from the Stranger Patellis became Confused. and another man who had been standing outside came into the Restaurant and still further Confused Patellis. By asking for more Cigars. The first man Slipped away at this time. and disappeared in a westerly direction. Describing the men one man was about 5 ft 6 tall. 150 Lbs. 35 years old. Complexion Dark. has a Small moustache. wore Soft hat. Grey. and a Dark Suit. number two man was about 5 ft 9 tall. 160 Lbs. 38 years old. Dark. Complexion Soft hat. and Dark Clothes.

Levitt A Saffron

May 20. 1932

Shiff Bros Worthless Check Case

Detective J Denny visited Shiff Bros Furniture store at 322 & 324 west Grant St. and learned from Mr Ralph Shiff that two men came into his Store on last Saturday night at 10.00 Pm. and Contracted to buy a Electric wash tub for. $52.95 this tub to be delivered to 1261 Marion ave Plainfield on Monday The man Known as J. W. Howard. Presented a Check for $21.00 drawn by the Standard Insurance Co on The Chase National Bank of New York. Mr Shiff accepted the Check to Cover a down Payment of $13.80. and gave this man $7.20 in Change. The men departed and Mr Shiff received the Check Back from the his Bank marked (Fraud) The man Known as J W. Howard was about 36 years old. about 5ft tall. 130 Lbs. Slender build. Dark Complexion. wears glasses, Clean Shaven. Thin face and wearing a blue Suit. and a Soft grey hat. The man Known as Samuel Martin was about 38 years old. 5ft 8 tall. 170 Lbs. Dark hair. Long in Back. Sallow Complexion. Clean Shaven. wore a grey soft hat.

Detct a Saffren

May 20. 1932

Rivellini worthless Check Case.

Detective J Denny visited Dano Rivellini the tailor. with a place of Business at 122 Church St and he informed him that a man Entered his store. about 3. P.m. on Saturday and bought a Dark grey suit for $27.50. He Presented a Check for $32.00. and received the Change of $4.50 Back from Mr Rivellini. Rivellini received the Check back from the Bank. marked (Fraud) This man went under the name of J. W. Howard and is about 5ft 7. tall. 36 years old 130 Lbs. Dark Complexion. Black hair. and Thin face. and wearing a dark Brown suit. and a grey Soft hat. Mr Rivellini will make a Complaint when he receives the Bad Check back from the Bank.

Detct a Saffren

May 20. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he attended a meeting held at 400 west Elizabeth St Sponsored by Mrs Daisy Miller. I also arrested Thomas Mack of 817 west Third St on a warrant from New Market charging him with Disorderly Conduct.

Deint a Saffron

May 20. 1932 Detective J Denny Served a Summons on Mrs Hattie Hoppe of 121 Church St. To appear in Court on Saturday morning on Complaint of Mrs Brouerman.

Deint a Saffron

May 21 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he made a trip to the Forty Second Precinct Police Station in the Bronx Section of New York City and asked that a Detective accompany me to the home of William Swing 943 College ave. My Purpose in going there was to try and locate a Pocketbook Containing Numerous Pieces of Valuable Jewelry that was dropped from the Car of Mrs John Needham 40 willow ave North Plainfield. And Picked up by two men riding in a Ford truck registration Mrs Needham Jewelry Case 427-639 N.Y. Shortly before nine O Clock Yesterday morning at the intersection of washington ave and West Front St. Inquiry Showed. That this truck belonged to Swing at the Bronx address Detective Enid Shirded and I proceeded to his home. and learned from his wife that he owned such a truck and along with one Charles Johnston a boarder was using it to deliver Evergreens and Shrubbery throughout New Jersey. He buys Most of his Evergreens. Mrs Swing told us at a Nursery in New Market. And after passes through Plainfield she had not seen or heard from him however since Monday morning as it was his Practice to Stay in New Jersey all week and come home over the week Ends. She said. She Expected him home about Six O Clock in the Evening. So we went back to the Police Station after requesting her to call us if he returned before that time she did call us back at ten minutes of Six. and informed us. That her husband had arrived

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May 21. 1932

Detective Dennis J. Murphy then accompanied me to the house. and met Mr Swing and Mr Charles Johnson the boarder. We told Swing that we had come over for the jewelry he had picked up. in Plainfield. He said all right and produced them without hesitation. We Examined them and. checked Each piece against the description list which I had. Detective murphy gave him a receipt for them. and we carried them to the Forty Second Precinct station. Before our leaving however Swing told us how he and Johnson were driving East on west Grant St. and noticed the Black. bag Partly opened in the Center of the street by the trolley tracks. He told Johnson to get out. and pick it up. which he did. Johnson Examined the Contents as they rode along. And they decided to watch the papers. for any account of the loss. They did not go home. but went up to Monroe New York. where they had several jobs and deliveries to make. While in Monroe Swing took the gems from the Black bag. and placed them in his pocket. while doing this he left the bag on the running board. of the truck - and started away without picking it up. He drove Considerable distance before he thought of it and then found that it had fallen to the roadway. He did not go back to look for it. So the bag was lost somewhere. in the Vicinity of Monroe New York. I told Swing and Johnson who seem to be both of the honest type. to stop at Plainfield Police Headqtrs on Monday. which they said they would. Detective Murphy after Checking over the gems again at the Precinct station turned them over to me. and I gave him a receipt. for them. I then brought them to Plainfield. arriving here at 10.47 P.m.

Mrs Needham Jewelry case.

Saint a Sapperson

May 22. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray reports that Quint a Saffran and I placed Arthur Spitznatle of 232 West 2nd St Plainfield under arrest at the Paramount Theatre. Charged with operating Theatres on Sunday

Quint a Saffran

May 22. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray and Quint a Saffran placed George Battle of 243 East 3rd St under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge DeMeza Charged with disorderly Conduct.

Quint a Saffran

May 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that the Remainder of the day was on duty in Various parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Quint a Saffran

May 23. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m and went to Elizabeth on the case of the Stutz Motor Co. and Frank J Connolly case after Arriving in Elizabeth I learned the Case was put off till and was also on Duty in Various parts of the City. The remainder of the Day and found Every thing quiet.

Quint a Saffran

May 23. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested George DeMathews 11.35 East 2nd St on a warrant charged him with breaking and Entering a Caddie house in the Vicinity of Bound Brook N.J. Visited different Parts of the City and Residential Sections throughout the day and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Quint a Saffran

May 23. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 A m to 6 P m.

Deist a Saffron

May 24. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a. m to 6 P. m.

Deist a Saffron

May 24. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray and Captain Leach and I placed Jac Miles of 216 Prescott Place and Dick Pippe of 310 Stebbins Place under arrest in the Strand Theatre hold up which occured May 9th 1932

arrest

Deist a Saffron

May 24. 1932 Detective J Denny was Summoned before Commissioner J. F. Holland in Newark NJ in regards to the Case of Louis Rosenweig and others who were Charged with operating a Still at 1190 Woodland Ave.

arrest Still

Deist a Saffron

May 24. 1932 Detective J Denny also Visited Various Parts of the City and Business Sections throughout the day and Evening. and found Conditions quiet and orderly.

Deist a Saffron

May 25. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that he Continued the investigation. and obtained Statements from witnesses in the Strand Theatre hold up.

Deist a Saffron

May 26. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks. and Business Sections from 8 a. m to 6 P m.

Deist a Saffron

May 25: 1932

Detective J Denny and Officer C Garman took Marie Dorothea Seidentop of 429 East Seventh St to Greystone Park. to be Committed as a Patient Dr Marcus L. Clawson. and Dr. Sansing G. Lippincott of Plainfield recommended. her Committment Judge Alfred a Stein of the Court of Common Pleas. Signed the Committment Papers. Miss Seidentop was admitted by Dr. Gatch of the Hospital Staff.

Deint a Saffran

May 25: 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he questioned Robert Ciccarelli of 1228 Arlington ave. age 12 years old about throwing stones at the Playhouse on the rear of the property of Story Rowland on Stell ave. and learned that he did so in Company with Herbert Payne of Stell ave. 11 years old. They both admitted breaking into this house. about six months ago and Carrying away a childs bank. with about thirty cents in it.

Deint a Saffran

May 26: 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested Sam Carsone of 720 East Third St. on a warrant for the State Police. at Berkely Heights.

Deint a Saffran

May 26. 1932

Detectives Sergt Gray reports the information received by Capt Search. that Joe Miles and Dick Pepe held up the Strand Theatre on May the 9th 1932. Captain Search and I picked up Dick Pepe of 310 Stebbins Place. and questioned him about it. and also a Ford Car. purchased by him and Jos Miles at the Ford agency on May the 9th 1932 when we questioned him about the $1050.00 that was paid in Cash. for the Car. Pepe Said the money was his. and he Earned it driving Liquor trucks for a man in Elizabeth. he Knew. by the name of Mac and the Money he turned over to Miles to keep for him. He Said he made sixteen trips with Liquor. and received about $1000.00 in wages since April 18th 1932. Pepe Said Miles got him the job driving. I investigated the Story. and Cannot locate any Bootlegger Named Mac in Elizabeth. also questioned Pepes Sister in law. who he lived with and she Said as far as she Knew Dick did not have. any money. and has not worked for Some while. and he owes her Considerable Money for Board.

The Strand Theatre hold up Case.

I questioned Pepe as to where he was on Saturday May 7th 1932. and he Said Joe Miles, Frank Ekerson Joes girl. and himself went to a dance in Mt Bethel and after they came to the Super Diner on 2nd St. to get some thing to Eat. between the three of them they got Enough money to gether to pay the bill. Pepe Said miles Paid $100.00 to Deposit on the Car May the 9th and on the 12th or 13th. he got his money from miles. and he paid $850.00 on the Car. and also signed a note the Same Day for $100.00. The bill of Sale was made out in Miles Name. James Constandi age 18 of 1460 Mc Crea Place told us that on May 21st 1932. He was lying on the grass in back of a hedge on East 2nd St. near Tebrill Road at about 9.15 P.m. when the Cord Car drove up and stopped near him. and he heard Pepe tell a fellow named Jiggs to take off the gun. and Jiggs asked them how. they got away from the Strand. The other man with Pepe Said they went along the Side of the Theatre to the Brook. and got in the Car. at the Bridge and beat it.

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Captain Leach and I went to Westfield and Placed Jac miles under arrest. and brought him to Plainfield. and questioned him about the robbery. and the Car. on May 9th 1932. The records at Daggett Awning Co. where miles is Employed. Show Miles went home at 12 noon. He told us he looked at the Card Car. on mays 5th and 6th and the night of the 6th. In Company with two City firemen. he went to Linden and won $1400.00 on Shooting Craps. Captain Leach and I took miles to the place. in Linden where he said he won the money. and had Several Employees look at him. They all said they did not Know him. and if he won $1400.00 as there records would Show it. We also learned that the City firemen who frequent the place. are. Edward Sutton. and James Kerr. when I questioned them Sutton said Miles was with him once. and Miles lost $18.00 as Kerr said he was there twice with miles. The first time Miles lost. and the 2nd time miles won Some money. But he did not Know how much. Miles said he placed $100.00 as deposit on the Card Car. on May the 9th and gave Pepe $850.00 to pay on it another time later giving Pepe the balance of $100.00 as to pay Miles. said Pepe never gave him any money to hold for him We had Mr Fortune the Manager of the Strand Theatre. here. and he could not positively Identify Either of them. We learned from Eskersons brother who lives on West 3rd St. That Frank. Eskerson worked a few days a month for the City and after staying with him all winter left his home Either on the afternoon of May 9 or morning of May the 10th. We thought Frank went to California. as he did not leave a note and he took all of his Clothes with him Frank Eskerson has a wife living Some where in California.

The Strand Theatre held up Case.

Detect A Saffren

May 26. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Dr. R.W. Meiker of 940 Arlington Ave. informed him that on Sunday Morning. May 22. 1932. His dog was shot by Some one in the Neighborhood. The Bullet was of a 22 Calibre type and struck the dogs the heart. The dog evidently Crawled home. and died on the Meiker rear porch. No Shots were heard around that time.

Saint a Saffron

May 26. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that George Paseas of 119 Church St Plainfield informed him that at about 9.30. a.m. a man approached him at the Corner of west Front St. and madison ave and asked him if he could direct him to the home of a friend of his who lived on Duer St and who was in the Monument business He handed Paseas a ten dollar Bill as a tip. and while stell talking another man came along The fellow inquired for his friend called to this man. and asked if he could direct him to his friend on Duer St. He gave him a ten Dollar Bill also and after a few minutes talk this last man said he had to get to his office on Front St and Suggested to Paseas that they give the money Back to the other man. They did. and the Supposed business man left. The first mentioned man. showed Paseas what he said was $35.000 in one inside Coat Pocket. and $3.000 in another He also said he just got in from Colarado where a rich relation died. and had $18000 in a trunk at the Station. as Paseas did not Know of any such described Person on Duer St. he left. and the man who had first stopped him walked over toward North Plainfield. He was about 35 years old. 5 ft 6 tall. 170 lbs. appeared. Spanish wore an olive green Suit. and hat to match. The other Supposed business man was about. 50 years old. 5 ft 9 tall. 160 lbs. and ware a light grey Suit. and wore a hard straw hat. These two men were without a Doubt Confidence men. and were working together in an attempt to fleece Paseas or anyone Else with money

Confidence men working the game.

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May 26. 1932 in the Bank. and willing to listen to their scheme. I notified all the Banks to be on the lookout for anyone withdrawing a large sum of money and also Searched the town thoroughly. But Could not find Either of these two men.

Detect a Saffron

May 26. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks. and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Detect a Saffron

May 27. 1932 Detective. E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks. and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Detect a Saffron

May 27. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty May 27th as his day off.

Detect a Saffron

May 27. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Michael Disette of 210 Johnston ave. informed him that some one broke into his garage at the rear of her home. and stole two Dozen oranges from a crate on his truck. I Examined the garage. and found that a wire Screening had been ripped from the window and the Entrance gained through it. It is probably the work of boys of the Neighborhood as they congregate in Considerable numbers in that Vicinity.

Detect a Saffron

May 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports That Mrs William Rogers of 990 Central ave requested me to go to Driers Pawn Shop and look his records over to ascertain if he had received a Ladies Diamond Studded wrist watch in Pawn within the Past three weeks. She lost this watch on the Plainfield County Club Golf Course while playing golf and thought it might have been picked up by a Caddie.

Lieut a Sapfran

May 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports along with officers young and F. Denny I raided the furniture Store of Samuil Kline 545 west Third St with a Search warrant and arrested Kline Charging him with the unlawful Sale of alcoholic Liquors. We searched his place thoroughly But without finding any Liquor

Lieut a Sapfran

May 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Dr Roach of 145 Parkside Road that this morning at 12.30 he heard a noise in his garage. He got out of bed and went around the house to the rear of his garage as he passed a window a Colored man ran out the front doors as it was dark and raining he could not give a description of him To Day he tried to Start his Car and the Battery was dead.

Lieut a Sapfran

May 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report of Dr Linke of 240 East Front St. that Some time in the Last 2 years 4 Valuable Chairs were Stolen from his attic. He also wanted to know why the Plainfield Police did not place J Beckwith under arrest for not turning the money over to him after Beckwith Sold Dr Linkes Car. I told him to Sign a Complaint before the Police could act.

Lieut a Sapfran

May 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports for Duty at 3.0 p m and was on Duty in Variant Parts of the City till 2. a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Quiet a Saffron

May 28. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks. and Business sections from 8. a m to 10 P. m

Quiet a Saffron

May 28. 1932

House Entered and robbed

Detective J Denny reports that he went to the home of Mr a J. adams 1114 Plainfield av in response to a phone Call from him. That same and had Entered his home. I learned that. Mr adams arrived home about 2.30 P m and found his rear door locked by the ordinary door lock instead of a Spiral Yale lock which he always uses. He did not pay much attention to this at the time and Started to work around his yard. He did not go up Stairs in the home until Shortly after 4. P m when his wife arrived home from Seffers Store. where she is Employed. They then discovered the different dressers and Desks rummaged into Mrs Adams Diamond Engagement ring Consisting of a large Diamond and Eighteen Smaller ones Surrounding it was Taken away. It was Valued at $400.00. A mans white gold Elgin open face watch Valued at $40.00 and a black Onyx ring with a Small diamond. and the initials M. H. Valued at $20.00 were also taken. Entrance was gained By removing a Screen from a Cellar window. and Coming up through the house. in the Soft Dirt Mr Adams has a Supposed friend in New York City. who has invited him in Plainfield. and only last night asked if his wife was going to be home in the afternoon. He will Check up on him in New York. The break must have occured between 9. a.m. and two O Clock in the afternoon Mr & Mrs Adams will not be home until late Monday night intending to go on a trip tomorrow

Quiet a Saffron

May 29. 1932

Detective J Denny reports off Duty Sunday May 29th as his Day off.

Deint a Saffron

May 29. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reports off Duty Sunday May 29th as his Day off.

Deint a Saffron

May 29. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P m and was on Duty in the Business Section of the City till 7.30 P.m. Then toured the City in the Police Car. till 2. a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

May 30. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P m and was on Duty in the Business Section of the City till 7.30 P m. Then toured the City in the Police Car. till 2. a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

May 30. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty in the Business Section from 2 a m to 6 P m.

Deint a Saffron

May 30. 1932

Detective J Denny reports. That he Visited different Parts of the City and Business Section throughout the City. and found Conditions quiet and orderly

Deint a Saffron

May 30. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that with officer Mansfield arrested William Bullock. on Complaint of Nick Anonitis a restaurant Proprietor. who Charged him with being disorderly and Striking him in his Place of Business.

Deint a Saffron

May 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m. and was on Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 7.30 P.m. Then toured the City in the Police Car till 2 a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

May 31. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 A.m to 6 P.m

Lieut a Saffron

May 31. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he secured a Statement from Miss Luella Dwight a a Complaint in a Bastarly Complaint against George Randall.

Lieut a Saffron

May 31. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he Continued the investigation of the Robbery of Mr Adams home on Plainfield ave. Mr Adams Stated that the movement Number on his watch Elgin white gold. was Number 31765530.

Lieut a Saffron

June 1. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffron

June 1. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty all Day as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

June 1. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested walter Ford of 827 Berckman St on a warrant. Charged him with being a Disorderly Person

Lieut a Saffron

June 1. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested John E. Pineen of 515 west 7th st on a warrant from the City of Newark N.J. charging him with failing to appear in Court.

Deint a Saffran

June 1. 1932

Detective J Denny visited various parts of the city and found conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffran

June 1. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny visited the Commissioner J. G. Hallands office in Newark at the request to attend a hearing in the case of Gattieb Rosenweig and others for the Illegal Possession of Liquor and Still.

Deint a Saffran

June 2. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray reports placing Tony Trunolo of 1442 Mc Crea Place under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Mega on complaint made by Mr Compton of the Public Service who charged him with stealing gas

Deint a Saffran

June 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a complaint made by a citizen who complains that the Private Graveyard on academy ave is left in a bad condition by some one carting sand out. The land is owned by Mr Schwartz of 339 Park ave. and is tax Exempt Mr Schwartz said he never gave any one permission to take sand out. I learned from neighbors that That Frank Ferrara of Scotch Plains carted sand from the grounds about 2 years ago.

Deint a Saffran

June 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray toured the City in the Police Car till 2 a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffran

June 2. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Section from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Sapperon

June 2. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited different parts of the City and Business Sections throughout the Day and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Sapperon

June 2. 1932 Detective J Denny attended a Pistol League match at Kenilworth during the afternoon

Lieut a Sapperon

June 3. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P. m and made a further investigation of the Private Grave Yard on academy ave. and learned from records at the Law office of Mc Donough and Mc Donough that the land was owned by the Cole family as far back as 1849 and the Grave Yard was only to be used by the family.

Lieut a Sapperon

June 3. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that he toured the City in the Police Car till 2 a m and found conditions quiet.

Lieut a Sapperon

June 3. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Sapperon

June 3. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested George Dunlap on a warrant charging him with being the father of a Child likely to be born a bastard.

arrest

Lieut a Sapperon

June 3. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny also arrested James Giovino of Terrill Rd. on a warrant charging him with failing to support his four year old Child.

Lieut A Saffron

June 3. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny also arrested Leo J Davies of 102 Central ave on a warrant from Mountain side. Charging him with several motor Vehicle Violations.

Lieut A Saffron

June 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m. and completed the investigation of the Camplaint made by a Citizen that Sand was carted away from the Private Grave yard on academy ave. went there with Mr George Cole. of East Front St. and he said about 20 years ago. he tried to get People then living who had relatives burried there interested to move the Bodies to another Cemetary. He did move about 12 bodies. But said there was at least 15 more there. He said there was not any one living now. who had any Money and interested putting Signs up to keep People from. Carting Sand away. also had Frank Ferraia of Scotch Plains. There and he said he never carted Sand from that side of the Street. But he said That Count Van Ness Sold Sand from That Section for years.

Lieut A Saffron

June 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to Louis Sutterline home at Mount Bethel looking for 6 Chairs Stolen from Dr Linkes office on E. Front St some time recently by Mr Sutterline he was not home. But the woman in charge of the house gave me Permission to go through I did not see the Chairs in any of the rooms

Lieut A Saffron

June 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a complaint made by Mr Myron Grashpitel Manager of the Singer Sewing machine Co. at 172 East Grant st. That some time between 3 P.m and 5 P.m. Friday while his Car was Parked in the rear of the store Some one Stole a Singer Vacum Cleaner Valued at $67.50 from his Car made a Canvas of the Vicinity but did not find anyone who Saw the Person take it.

Geist a Saffron

June 4. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Section from 9 a.m to 6 P.m.

Geist a Saffron

June 4. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he was on Duty throughout the city and Business Section throughout the Evening and found Conditions quiet and orderly.

Geist a Saffron

June 5. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday June 5th as his Day off.

Geist a Saffron

June 5. 1932 Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday June 5th as his Day off.

Geist a Saffron

June 5. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr John Van Feilitzsch room 22 at 149 North Ave was Entered Some time Saturday afternoon by Some one with a Key. and his 4 tube Emerson Radio Valued at $20.00 was Stolen.

Geist a Saffron

June 6- 1932

2 Dick inc Robbery

Detective Sergt Gray and Lenit a Sapporon investigated a report made by Mr Rothechild an Employee of the 2 Dick inc at 743 West Front St. That some one during the night Entered the Factory. The Place was Entered by some one breaking out a Pane of glass on the west side of the Building about 18.00 Dresses was stolen from boxes and racks. a windaw on the East side of the Building was found open and mens boat Prints leading from the windaw. and two tire marks about 150 ft East of the Building was found in the sopt dirt. The Car or truck had two Silvertown tires on one side and a Diamond tread Goodyear tire on the other side The front tire we could not make out. Charles Nichols a watchman Employed by the owner of the other Building Said he was awakened by a truck at 11.20 Pm going by the small Building where he Stays. He looked out of the windaw and described the truck as a dirt truck driven by a white man. and also said the truck was Empty. William Dyons of 958 South 2nd St. Said about 7.30 Pm Saturday night he went to the west side of Kantard Building to Keep off a Drunk. a short time later he was awakened by some one hitting his foot. He got up and saw a Colored man and they Started a Conversation after they talked a while the Colored man walked alon the Building. and Dyons heard the Crash of glass Dyons then went out to the R.R. tracks officer Bray found Dyons at 9.30 a m Sunday just leaving his bunk We brought him to Headqts and took a Statment. also Showed him some pictures. out of the Pictures he Picked Everett Harrell Colored as the man he was talking too. I Checked up on Mr Pittards truck as he Carted garbage from the Building Found the tires on his truck did not match the tire marks in the dirt.

Lenit a Sapporon

June 6. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray continued the investigation in the Robbery of the L. Dich Factory that took place some time Saturday night or Sunday morning Checking the time book at George C Stevens Coal yard for any one they might Suspect. But could not pick any one out. also checked up on several touches that might have been used. But they were O.K.

Deint A Saffron

June 6. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray called on Mrs Brown of 5.15 East 97th St. in reperance to a letter she sent to Chief Flynn. She said the main source of the trouble with her husband was his staying at the Colored Republican Clubs. on Richmond st. when he could stay till 2 or 3 a m in the morning

Deint A Saffron

June 6. 1932

Detective sergt Gray questioned Several People on the thift of a Radio owned by Mr John Van Ficlitzson of 149 North ave. But was unable to Locate it.

Deint A Saffron

June 6. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Deint A Saffron

June 6. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested Herbert Brightan on a warrant charging him with Faiture to Comply with the rules of the Probations

Deint A Saffron

June 6. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny also arrested Harry Simon on a warrant charging him with issuing a worthless check.

Deint A Saffron

June 6. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Varians Parts of the City and Business Sections throughout the night and found Conditions quiet.

Sent a Saffron

June 6. 1932 Detective J Denny reports at 2.05 a.m. he noticed a Chevrolet Sedan with New York licens 5-2-35-37 Parked without lights on South ave about three hundred feet East of Woodland ave. There was no one around in the Vicinity who had Charge of this Car.

Sent a Saffron

June 6. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he went along with officers Peterson & Regan to 15-37 Mable St. in response to a Phone Call at about 2.45 a.m. and learned that Michael White who resides there with his family had detected an odor of Gas and upon descending to the Kitchen we found his Son George 24 years old Rolling upon the floor partially Over Come He Sent his Son William to call for help and then Carried George outside where the fresh air quickly revived him. The rescue Squad of the Fire Department had arrived before us. But did not have to Expened much effort upon George. George had been drinking and Kept repeating I meant business this time I Examined the gas stove and noticed the burner on one jet had been Disconnected The fireman had Shut off the gas in the Cellar upon their arrival None of the rest of the family was affected.

Sent a Saffron

June 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Mrs Hultbrigh of 1024 Myrtle ave that Some time after 1. a.m. to Day her home was Entered through a Cellar window and $7. was Stolen from her purse That was in a draw on the first floor Mrs Hultbrigh has hired strangers on Several occasions to help around the Place and has trouble to work around the Place and has trouble

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June 7. 1932 about money with them. The person who Entered the house had knowledge of where the purse was as nothing Else was disturbed I could not Locate any finger prints as gloves were used. One strange Glove was found on the floor in the living room

Lieut A Saffron

June 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray made further investigation of the thipt of the Radio owned by Mr John Van Feilitzsch of 149 North ave. Questioned all Parties Concerned. But did not learn where the Radio is. There Seems to be an ill feeling between Mr Paquette the Supt of the Building and Mr Van Feilitzsch

Lieut A Saffron

June 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray questioned Mrs Nichols of 135½ Martine ave about a Colored man who came there last Sunday night Saying a relative of Mrs Nichols maid was injured in an auto accident in Newark. Mr Nichols went to Newark with him but could not locate any injured People. The man answered the description of Harvey Mackay who obtained $5.00 from Mr Fisher of 6 willow ave N.P. Chief Weiss Said he would have Mr Fisher make a Complaint against Mackay.

Lieut A Saffron

June 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray an Camplaint made by Mrs Kennedy of 135 Hillcrest ave I notified all the residents in the Vicinity to Stop throwing tin Cans and garbage in the Vacant grounds owned by the Boice Runyon Co. Bob and Mark Clark of 126 East 2nd St and Tony and Nick La Casta are the Boys who built the tent on the Property.

Lieut A Saffron

June 7. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Louis Gartner ap 5-10 Aletta St. Reported to me that some time during the Past two days an iron lawn Roller was taken from his garage at the rear of his home. This Roller was about two and a half feet wide and about three feet in diameter and had a wooden handle. I inquired about the neighborhood and also searched the Vicinity well. But could not locate any one having knowledge of its where abouts.

Dennit a Saffran

June 7. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Eric Hultberg ap 1027 Myrtle Ave. in responce to a Call from her and learned that she arrived home about 1.00 a m from Newark and placed her Pocket Book in a Cabinet Standing near her front hallway. when she awoke about 9 a.m. She found the Pocket Book lying on the floor in another room and Contents Scattered about. Seven dollars in money was missing from it Some one had Evidently Entered the house through a Cellar window after she arrived home and took the money. There were no finger Prints of Value left by the intruder

Dennit a Saffran

June 7. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 6 P. m.

Dennit a Saffran

June 8. 1932 Detective E mc Garry reported on Duty a the Banks and Business sections from 9 a m to 6 P. m

Dennit a Saffran

June 8. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty all Day as his Day off.

Dennit a Saffran

June 8. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Lindsey Best the Principal of the Plainfield High school informed me that a man came to his office last Friday and tried to interest him in buying some unlisted shares stock. He professed to know some of Mr Bests relatives in Muncie Indiana and Mr Best said he Expected to meet his uncles Step Daughter from there in a couple of days. This man. Who gave the name of Palomino did not wait long after this and departed without making any Sale with Mr Best. upon the girls arrival from Muncie Indiana she told Mr Best that this man had swindled several People out there. and was wanted in that State Mr Best however did not see any more of this fellow. But thinks he was Probably Preparing to swindle him also and left the City thinking. he would be pinned out after Mr Best Conversed with the girl.

Lieut A Sapperson

June 8. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he went along with Detective Reilley from the Prosecutors office. I questioned Frank Santaguida of 448 West 2 1/2 St in Connection with a murder committed by his Brother Dominick in Summit N.J. We secured rather a lengthy statement from him. Concerning his brothers habits and acquaintances

Lieut A Sapperson

June 8. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he spent considerable time Visiting the homes of Persons. who have taken out Library Books. and failed to return them.

Lieut A Sapperson

June 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that he was on Duty in Variouse Parts of the City all Day and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

June 9. 1932 Detective E. mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deint a Saffron

June 9. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he attended a Pistal match at Kenilworth during the afternoon.

Deint a Saffron

June 9. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he Visited Various Parts of the City and Business Sections throughout the day and Evening Paying Particular attention to the home of Frank Santagnida at 445 west 2nd St. and found Conditions were quiet throughout the City

Deint a Saffron

June 10. 1932 Detective E mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deint a Saffron

June 10. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited the Maxim school and Learned from the Principal Mr Pfeifer That a red frame Traveller Bicycle was Stolen from the School yard on the previous day This wheel was the Property of Robert Smith 930 Dixie Lane and was Valued at $20.00 I questioned a number of Boys at the School and the Playgrounds But did not gain any information Concerning it.

Deint a Saffron

June 10. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Mr Drew Corn that two houses he owns at 5'45 and 5'47 South 2nd St. are being distroyed. I found most all of the windows broken in Both houses the front and rear steaps off of 5'45 and the rear stasp gone from 5'47 also the Cellar doors are gone from Both Places. I Learned from neighbors that boys brake the windows. Buth Colored men Cutted the wood away I Obtained the names of Several boys who broke glass but there is more boys in it and will get there names later.

Deist A Saffron

June 11. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports on Duty at 3 P.m. and was on Duty in the Business Section of the City till 11 P.m. then toured the City in the Car till 2 a.m and found Conditions quiet.

Deist A Saffron

June 11. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Louis Genovese of 137 Beckman St. that his wife left home about 9 a.m. and returned about 5 P.m. while she was away some one Entered her apartment and Stole two bed spreads one Blue and one white both Valued at $5.00. Mr Genovese Suspected the woman living down stairs. I advised him to wait a few days to get further Evidence before any thing is said to her.

Deist A Saffron

June 11. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and the Business Sections from 9 a.m to 10 P.m.

Deist A Saffron

June 11. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that at about 5.05 P. m. Doctor Lufburrow was called. Police Headqtr was notified stating that a man by the name of Edward Vermende French of 1334 Watchung ave. had died suddenly. and we were requested to notify the Coroner. Sergt Bader did so at once Detective J Denny went to the house and learned from Mrs French that her husband had been in good Spirits and was able to get around as usual. But yesterday afternoon and this afternoon. Complained of feeling Chilly. He went up to bed. about 4.30 P m to Lie down. and when Mrs French went up to see how he was at about 4.45 P.m she noticed a Deathly Pallor upon his face. and called the Doctor He Pronounced him dead. and said it was Probably due to a Stroke. Mr French had two Previous strokes He was 62 years old. Sergt Bader notified the Coroner.

Suddden Death

Deist a Sapproan

June 12. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P m and was on Duty in the Police Car till 2 a m and found conditions quiet throughout the City.

Deist a Sapproan

June 12. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty June 12th all Day as his Day off.

Deist a Sapproan

June 12. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was off Duty June 12th all Day as his Day off.

Deist a Sapproan

June 13. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P m. and was on Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 7 P m. and then on Duty at the Carnival grounds till 12 midnight and found Conditions quiet. Then toured the City in Police Car till 2. a m.

Deist a Sapproan

June 13. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Deint a Saffron

June 13. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated a call from a youngster that a Dog had killed some of there Rabbits at 1326 George St. I learned that two Dogs belonging to Edward Russell of 12. 28 Columbia Ave had forced there way into a Rabbit Coop owned by Andrew Alexander of 1326 George St and Killed fourteen of his rabbits. Mrs Russell said she would tell her husband. and that he would see Mr Alexander and Settle for the damage.

Deint a Saffron

June 13. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Schere of 1273 George St. and learned that She wished to make a Complaint against a Neighbor Mrs Gotta Rabinowitz. I issued a Summons for Mrs Rabinowitz on Mrs Scheres Complaint I also Secured a Statement from Joseph Miner. relating to the robbery that he and alfred Bolland were Charged with.

Deint a Saffron

June 14. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported that I reported for Duty at 3. P m for Duty in the Business Sections till 7 P m. then on Duty at the Carnival grounds till 9.15 P m. and was Excused from duty till midnight then toured the City in the Police Car. and found Conditions quiet

Deint a Saffron

June 14. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 6. P. m.

Deint a Saffron

June 14. 1932

Confidence game. men.

Detective E Mc Garry reports a Colored man of 817 Richmond St by the name of Alfred Meyers stated to him That three Colored men tried to work a Confidence game on him about two weeks ago. He was in touch with one of the three men and promised to have the three of them at the Plainfield Savings Bank tomorrow Morning June 15th at 8:30 a m. Meyers came to Plainfield about Seven months ago from New orleans with his wife. he Presented a Check on a New Orleans Bank. to the Plainfield Bank. for Collection But It has not Come through as yet I will be at the Plainfield Savings Bank in Case these men Show up.

Deint a Saffran

June 14. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr A S Kummer manager of the albert Dean Store at 2:30 West Front St. reported to me that Some time between Saturday night at 10 P m and Monday morning at 8:00 a m. an atwater Kent Radio Set and Loud Speaker were detached from its Cabinet in the Store and Carried away. Mr Kummer and I Examined the doors and windows thoroughly. but could find no Evidences of a forced Entry. The Set is Valued at $60.00 Entrance must have been made by the use of a Key.

Deint a Saffran

June 14. 1932

Detective J Denny went with officer Mansfield to investigate a false alarm of fire turned in by Some one from the fire Station Franklin Place and East 5th St. But was unable to locate anyone who Committed the act. Mr James Mc Donough who lives nearby told us. That the Small door on the front had been open for a Couple of Days.

Deint a Saffran

June 14. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that a Message to Lancaster Pa Police was sent in Regarding to Ralph F. Van Fruishman. This mans name is Ralph Fargo he has a Divorced wife living in Strandsburg Pa. Otto J Dang of the Plainfield N.J. is a very distant relative and does not Care to bother with him Every Second year he has Slight Periodic Spells of insanity But has Never been Committed to an Institution as far as known he is not wanted in this Section. This was Sent out over the Teletype at 11.25 P.m. By Sergt James Brown.

Lieut A Saffran

June 15. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty June 15. 1932 as his Day off.

June 15. 1932

Suspicious Colored Men.

Detective E. Mc Garry and Detective J Denny and officers O Sullivan and Bray arrested Alfred Meyers. James E. Fields. and Fred Lawrence and James Jones all (Colored) of asbury Park N.J. from Park ave and West 4th St charged with Suspicion at 10.15 a.m

Lieut A Saffran

June 15. 1932

forgery of Checks.

Detective E. Mc Garry arrested Nellie Breen age 20 from Park ave and West 2nd Street at 2.30 P.m Charged with forgery. She Presented a Check drawn on the Plainfield Trust Co Bank to the account J. F. Clemenk Scott Brown and endorsed in as Francis Brown. She is Employed as a domestic by Mrs Francis Mc-le Hammerer of 1011 Park lane Plainfield N J.

Lieut A Saffran

June 15. 1932

Detectives E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 7 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Saffran

June 15. 1932

Suspicious men.

Detective J Denny reports that along with Detective Mc Garry and officers O Sullivan and Bray. I arrested Fred Lawrence. and alfred Meyers and James Jones and James Fields. and Charged them with acting in a suspicious manner. and having a lottery book in their Possession Meyers has been trying to get a $76. on Check. on a New Orleans Bank. Cashed. at The Plainfield Savings Bank for the past ten days. They all live in asbury Park and came here to Plainfield by automobile

Lieut a Saffran

June 15. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested anthony Montalone of 907 North ave. on a warrant Charged with disorderly Conduct.

Lieut a Saffran

June 16. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr Drange at the Scotts Printing Press Plant and he informed me that his night watchman Clark had Encountered a Negro man in the Shop at about 11.45 P. m. and after questioning him tried to get in touch with Police Headqts. while he was doing this. The Negro ran out through the Shop and disappeared nothing. But an old pair of trousers was taken / and Mr Drange only requested that if the man could be located that he be questioned as to his purpose in coming there at that hour.

Lieut a Saffran

June 15. 1932

attempting to Pass a Check.

Detective J Denny along with Detective Mc Garry Investigated the story told by a girl giving the name of Nancy Brown and attempting to pass a Check for $40.00 we learned her true name to be Nellie Breen and that she works for Mrs Hammerer at 10.11 Park Lane. It appeared to be a Check forged by herself.

Leiut a Saffron

June 16. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 2 Pm and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 7 P.m. Then on Duty at the Carnival grounds till 1. a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Leiut a Saffron

June 16. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray and Officer Peterson of the Raritan Township Police Came to the Carnival grounds with officer Mansfield with a John Doe warrant for the arrest of the Train master of the Carnival grounds Charged with the Larceny of Lumber. after I located the Train master he agreed to return the lumber. and officer Peterson did not want to make an arrest.

Leiut a Saffron

June 16. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 5 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Leiut a Saffron

June 16. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested Mrs Virginia Montelone of 907 North ave on a Warrant Charged with disorderly Conduct.

Leut a Saffron

June 16. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Henry Jaegar of 712 west Grant St. informed me that sometime during the night some one Entered her garage and jacked up the front wheel and tire They also unbolted the spare tire and wheel and carried them both away The rear of her property is open and leads out into the roadway which is the Continuation of Brookside Place. I Continued the investigation of the attempted passing of a forged Check by Nellie Breen. and upon Close Examination of Mrs Kammerers Check Book we observed where she had torn out the Check. and stub. that she attempted to Pass. There is no doubt that she used one of Mrs Kammerers Checks. and that she filled out the Check for the forty Dollars.

Detective Sergeant

June 16. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited St Marys School and that the Principal informed me that on Tuesday afternoon some one removed and Carried away the handle bar grips of two Bicycles that were in the old School yard. She also said that a wheel belonging to William Keenan was Stolen from there a Couple of months ago and were never recovered

Detective Sergeant

June 17. 1932

Detective Sergt went with Mr Harry A Bea of Union N.J. to the Hospital looking for his wife who left home between 1 and 2 P.M. to Day also looking up Several People in town who she might be Stopping with but was unable to locate her.

Detective Sergeant

June 17. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty at the Carnival Grounds till 1.15 a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

June 17. 1932

Detective E. McGarry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business sections from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Deint a Saffron

June 17. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr Clark the watchman at the Walter Scott Plant and he described the Colored man who Entered the Building on the preceding night as about 5ft 11. tall. 165 Lbs. between 25 and 30 years old Light Complexion. and wore Blue Overalls and a Soft hat. The man told him his name was Davis or Davidson but this was probably fictetious.

Deint a Saffron

June 17. 1932

Detective J Denny Interviewed Walter Saunders an Employee at Scotts regarding rumor that he Knew such a man but he had only mentioned that he knew a man by the name of Davis living in the west End of the City he however was not the man in the Shop

Deint a Saffron

June 17. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Conditions otherwise quiet throughout the City.

Deint a Saffron

June 15. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m and Investigated a Story of Robert Archibald Colored. who was brought to Muhlenberg Hospital by the South Plainfield Police. He claimed he worked on the Bernardi Shows. and had $24. oo in wages due him. I made a Check on these time books and learned he was only hired as an Extra and was paid at the End of Each day Archibald worked a week on the Scooter for a Mr Hager.

Deint a Sapperstein

June 15. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Continued the investigation of the broken window in Judge Newcorns

Deint a Sapperstein

June 15. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8. a m to 10 P m.

Deint a Sapperstein

June 15. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he Covered different Parts of the City and Business Sections during the afternoon. and until 2. a. m. in the Evening I was on Duty at the Carnival Grounds in the West End of the City.

Deint a Sapperstein

June 19. 1932 Detective. E. Mc Garry was off Duty June 19 as his Day off.

Deint a Sapperstein

June 19. 1932 Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday June 19th as his Day off.

Deint a Sapperstein

June 19. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the Day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City.

Deint a Sapperstein

June 19. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr James Brown Caretaker on the property owned by Mr Ahrens of 1062 Rahway Road. That same time during the night the garage was Entered by breaking the glass in a window nothing was disturbed or missing. Tracks of a Car was fresh on the driveway.

Lieut A Sapperen

June 19. 1932 Liberty Theatre Robbery Jan 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported. Chief Glynn and I went to Perth Amboy to question Several men under arrest there for safe burglary. one of the men had knowledge about the Safe at the Liberty Theatre that was tampered with on January 4th 1932. He implicated three other men now in New York.

Lieut A Sapperen

June 20. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray made a further investigation for Mr Harry Bea of Union N.J. trying to locate his wife who disappeared from Union with a large Sum of money & Checked up Several Cars. he had license numbers of and found they were O.K. I advised him to go to the License Bureau in Trenton to check up on Car of the Series M 60 which he Suspected.

Lieut A Sapperen

June 20. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Tried to Locate Several People who are wanted here on Warrants but learned they were out of the City.

Lieut A Sapperen

June 20. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported that the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City.

Lieut A Sapperen

June 20. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deint a Saffron

June 20. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested Michael Krause of 215 East 2nd St. on a warrant charging him with failure to support his wife and Family

Deint a Saffron

June 20. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested Henry Stein of 1327 East Second St. on a warrant charging him with intent to defraud a Paterson Insurance Co. by Stopping Payment on a Check that he had given them.

Deint a Saffron

June 20. 1932

Detective J Denny Covered different Parts of the City and Business sections throughout the afternoon and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

June 21. 1932

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray and Detective E Mc Garry Placed Willard Picken. Louis Curgie Elmo Henry and Malachi Moreno all of New York under arrest on Suspicion of working the Pocket Book game

Deint a Saffron

June 21. 1932

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray arrested Emilio Yannatta of 1584 St and Nicholas Blvd. on a warrant issued by Judge De Meza charged with non support

Deint a Saffron

June 21. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty the Remainder of the day in Various Parts of the City.

Deint a Saffron

June 21. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to watchung & J with a warrant for the arrest of Eugene Craig. who is working for the Carrar Trucking Co. and left the warrant with the Chief of Police.

Deint a Saffran

June 21. 1932

arrest

Detective E Mc Garry and Detective Sergt Gray arrested Willard Pickens & Malachi Moreno & & Elma Henry & Denis Burgis all of New York Charged with Suspicion of working the Packet Back game.

Deint a Saffran

June 21. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reports the remainder of the Day on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m to 6 P m.

Deint a Saffran

June 21. 1932

Detective J Denny visited the Park Hotel and the Vicinity of Several boarding houses on West 8th St. with a man by the name of Bea in an Endeavor to Locate his wife. There is a warrant out for her arrest. She is reported to have been Seen in Plainfield recently.

Deint a Saffran

June 21. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Pond Place Several times in the Early Evening. But did not find any youngsters loitering there.

Deint a Saffran

June 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty June 22nd as his day off.

Deint a Saffran

June 22. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at 7.0
at the Banks and Business Sections fro
8 a m to 6 P m.

Deint a Saffron

June 22. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested anna Rumbold
at the union County Court House on a warran
arrest charging her with Desertion and abandonm

Deint a Saffron

June 22. 1932 Detective J Denny visited different Parts of
the City and Business sections and found
conditions quiet. throughout the night.

Deint a Saffron

June 23. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray obtained the names of
the following Boys for Breaking the windows
in Judge Newcorns house at 5'45' and 5'47 South
2nd St.

. Joseph. ward age 12. years old. 5'11 South 2nd St and
mother Edna. Father is Dead.
. Micheal Daniels age 11. years old. 5'5'1 South 2nd Street
mother Lucy & Father Louis
. Galviel Poole age 15' years old. 5'21 South 2nd St. Mothe
Belle & Father Jerry.
. Micheal Palasso age 11 years old. 5'25' South 2nd St
mother Mary Father John.
. George Festa. age 11. Years old. 5'14 West 2nd St. Mothe
Mary. Father Philip
. John Vitalno age 13 years old. 5'5'3 South 2nd St
mother is Dead. Father Peter.

These Boys broke some of the windows
but it is impossible to learn the names
of the rest of them as they were Strangers

Deint a Saffron

June 23. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Benien of 107 west 7th St. Stating that at 12.30 this morning a Colored man came to the door and Said a relative of Mrs Louise Lewis Colored who is Employed by Mrs Benien was injured in an Automobile accident and Sent him there for $7.00. Mrs Lewis lives at 641 west 4th St. and Harvey Mackey and Ida Darsey roomed there for two weeks in May. Mrs Benien cannot Identify the man. But from the Description She gave I am sure it was Mackay

Lieut A Soffron

June 23. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut A Soffron

June 23. 1932 Detective J Denny attended a Pistol match in Kenilworth during the afternoon.

Lieut A Soffron

June 23. 1932 Detective Denny reported he travelled through Pond Place several times during the afternoon and Early Evening and did not find any children there Except those Diving on the Street

Lieut A Soffron

June 23. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he Spent Considerable time Endeavoring to locate Harry Huffmeister and a Companion who held up the Chef in the Hawthorne Restaurant and robbed him of Sixty dollars. Later on. In the Evening he was Picked up. by officer F. Dennly. I. fingerprinted and Pictured both of them before they were turned over to Scotch Plains

Lieut A Soffron

June 23. 1932

Detective J Denny reported that he ordered six sheets of beaver Board from the Lorizann Lumber Co. to be used for Targets Each sheet is 24x32. I also ordered twelve Pieces of Shingle Lath. two feet in Length. The beaver Board was Priced at $1.92 Cents. and the shingle lath at $.24 making $2.16 in all. There will be delivery on June 24. 1932.

Lieut a Saffran

June 24. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by August Grimm of 305 Washington ave Dunellen N.J. Stating that on May 27. 1932. he lost a Swiss wrist watch Valued at $11.00 while at the Jewish Center while working at the Star Dress Co. he saw the watch on Jennie Rosellis wrist. She refused to return it to him. I questioned her and she said her Brother Harry gave it to her. he Clarined he bought it for two dollars. I recovered the watch. and gave it to Grimm. and asked him to make a Complaint But he refused to do so

Lieut a Saffran

June 24. 1932

Entered by some one.

Detective Sergt Gray Investigated a report made by Mrs Garretson of 141 West Front St stating that Some time between 4.30 and 5:30 P.m. her apartment was forced open She did not miss any thing. Her apartment is on the 2nd floor. and the Yale lock was forced.

Lieut a Saffran

June 24. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Obtained $7.33 Cents from Mr Deardoff at the City Hall. to Pay the Car fare of Bob Archibald Colored from Plainfield to Washington D.C.

Lieut a Saffran

June 24. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 7 a m to 6. P. m.

Deuit a Saffran

June 24. 1932 Detective J Denny recovered a Mens old Black Bicycle in the rear of the Paramount Theatre. and brought it to Police Headqts

Deuit a Saffran

June 24. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he drove through Pond Place Several times during the Early Evening but did not find any boys Congregating there.

Deuit a Saffran

June 24. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited different Parts of the City. and Business Sections throughout the afternoon and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Deuit a Saffran

June 25. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks. and Business Sections of the City from 7. a m to 10. P m.

Deuit a Saffran

June 25. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P m. and was on duty in Various Parts of the City till 2. a. m. and found Conditions quiet

Deuit a Saffran

June 25. 1932 arrest Detective Sergt Gray & Mc Garry arrested William Bawger of Bayonne N J at Park ave and Grant St. charged with begging

Deuit a Saffran

June 25. 1932

accident where a Child was Killed

Detective J Denny assisted in investigating an accident which happened on Richmond St. at 12.15 Pm. and resulted in the Death of a Child Dena Bengivenga aged Seven years old I obtained a Statement from Walter Hoover the driver of the Car which struck her and also interviewed some other witnesses They all state that Hoover was traveling at about fifteen miles Per hour.

Levit a Saffron

June 25. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mary Morris at 413 John St. and he informed me that some boys in the Neighborhood broke a window in his truck while it was standing in his rear yard I interviewed Several that were in the neighborhood that afternoon and most of them say that Francis Gobey 420 John St. aged 6 years old threw the Stone that did the Damage. He however denies this. The damage Amounted to $3.50 Cents and Mrs Gobey refused to Pay for it.

Levit a Saffron

June 25. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he was on Special duty during the Evening from 7.30 until 11.00 P. m. on West Eighth St.

Levit a Saffron

June 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 Pm. and was on duty in Various Parts of the City till 2 a m. and found Conditions quiet.

Levit a Saffron

June 26. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty June 26 th. as his Day off

Levit a Saffron

June 26. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was off Duty on June 26th as his Day off.

Levi A Saffron

June 27. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P m and assisted Detective Sergt Gargy of the Phila Pa Police Dept in getting a release for Malachi Morene who was committed to union Co Jail and is wanted in Phila Pa.

Levi A Saffron

June 27. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in the City till 2 a. m. and found conditions quiet.

Levi A Saffron

June 27. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Levi A Saffron

June 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he visited Mr Faulks at Wigton & Abbots office and he informed him that his tenants are complainning about Petting Parties causing noises down at the rear of the Professional Building between about 10 P m and 4 a. m. he asks that an officer or officers go in there as often as Possible for a couple of weeks. and this maybe broken up. I spoke to the manager of the Mutual Store in the building. And he will request the delivery men to be as quiet as Possible in the Early morning.

Levi A Saffron

June 27. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested Robert Duncan on a Warrant charging him with driving without a License in Garwood.

Levi A Saffron

June 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and investigated a report made by Mr William son in Park of Mr Mayer 605 East Front St that Some time during the night Some one Stole a 8x10 tent that was in the rear yard in Somerset County. The tent was Valued at $12.00 and marked D C inside.

Detective Sergt Gray reported on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 2 a m. and found Condition quiet.

June 28. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8. a m to 6 P. m.

June 28. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested Charles Kennedy of 1360 East 2nd St on a warrant charged with failing to answer a Summons for failure to have a Dog License.

arrest.

June 28. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Foster of 932 Cedarbrook Rd in regards to a request for information from the Chicago Police Department Concerning a Stolen La Salle Car I learned that Mrs Fosters Daughters man has the Car in Elizabeth.

June 28. 1932

Detective J Denny assisted investigating a Robbery at the Dental offices of Dr Thompson at 109 Park ave. I observed that the Snap lock was forced back. by inserting a thin instrum behind the molding. and against the plunger of the lock. Entrance was gained in this way

June 29. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty June 29th as his Day off.

Deuit a Saffron

June 29. 1932

Detective E. McGarry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deuit a Saffron

June 29. 1932

Detective J Denny investigated a report from Frank Trubgno 303 Richmond St stated that Same boys had broken a Large Plate glass windaw in his store owned by him at 301 Richmond St. during the Evening. I learned that Ralph Gragiust of 357 Cottage Place was leaning against this windaw with Same other boys when it Cracked. I was not able to learn the other boys names to night but will do so This windaw was not insured

Deuit a Saffron

June 29. 1932

Counterfeit Ten Dollar Bill

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Dorsey of the Plainfield Motors Co informed him that Some time during the day yesterday a Counterfeit ten Dollar Bill was received by Some of his Clerks and put into the Cash drawer. When the money was Deposited in the Bank. They notified him of the nature of it. This bill was of the Series of 1928 and bore numbers B 27723486.A. and also had an alexander Hamilton Picture upon it. The Color of it was a little Lighter than usual and the Paper was not of good quality Mr Dorsey said he would try and have the Clerk check over all the money received to ascertain where it Came from.

Deuit a Saffron

June 30. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m. and investigated a report made by Mrs Mary Smith Cook. at the Mayer home at 605 East Front St. That some time between Monday and to Day a Brown & Gray Sweater and two Dollars was Stolen from the Car while it was Parked in the rear yard. The articles was Evidently stolen at the Same time as the tent

Deint a Saffron

June 30. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Gauz of 7 Clinton ave. That the Boys was doing damage to a house she owned at 1320 Fayette Place. I looked the house over but did not See anything damaged I warned the boys in the neighborhood to stay away from the Property.

Deint a Saffron

June 30. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in the Car till 2 a.m. and found conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

June 30. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 2 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deint a Saffron

June 30. 1932 Detective J Denny reports the two Boys that were leaning against the Plate glass window in Frank. Grivignas Store at the Corner of E Third St. and Richmond St. when it Cracked last night. were Ralph. Graziano 365 Cottage Place And John Cerillo 300 Richmond St. These Boys are both over 16 years old. Another boy Flordo Mazzeo age 14 years threw a firecracker near these two Boys at the time. and may have been the inderect cause of them Pushing against it. The window was Valued at $44.00

Deint a Saffron

June 30-1932

House was Entered in the night Same time and Robbed.

Detectives J Denny with Sergt Dolan and officers Vail & Brown answered a Phone Call from Mrs K C Nelson of 1270 Florence ave. at 2.30 a m stating that his home had been Entered upon our arrival there we learned that Mrs Nelson had awakened at about 2.25 a m at the sound of a slight noise and noticed a man crossing her bed room in a Crouched Position. She was unable to Scream or talk and as she moved in bed the intruder left the room and walked down Stairs and out the rear door and disappearing in the darkness. as the room was dark She could not tell whether the man was White or Black. upon getting out of bed and notifying her husband She discovered that his husbands and Sons trousers had been Carried from there bed room to the Kitchen and rifled about one Dollar and Seventy Cents was taken from them. Two Nickle Plated watches. one a Fig Top. and the other a Prince. were also Stolen These watches were Valued at $5.00. a Long barreled Cap Pistal Carried by the intruder was left behind in his hurry to get out of the Kitchen. Entrance was Gained through a rear Kitchen window from which a Cloth Screen had been ripped. a Chair was also placed under the window to stand on while Entering. There may be Some Prints on the window from where he Entered. We Searched the Surrounding territory thoroughly but Could not Locate any Suspicious Persons around.

Detct a Sapprau

June 30. 1932

Detective J Denny visited Mrs Ethel Pratt Faster at 9.32 Cedarbrook Road and made inquiries of her concerning a La Salle Car. as requested by the Chicago Police Department Mrs Faster told me that she bought a blue La Salle Roadster. Back in 1927. and kept it for three years. She then gave it to her married Daughter. Mrs J. Harold Loizeaux at 251 Edgar Place. Elizabeth N J. This Roadster is now in Mrs Loizeaux's possession in Elizabeth and has been Ever since. her mother gave it to her. I personally saw the New Jersey Registration Card for this Car. and it stated that this Car was a blue 1927 model La Salle Roadster 8 Cylinder. 31 horsepower. motor # 202489 and N J. registration N-1771. Mrs Faster has a Maroon La Salle Roadster model 340. 1930 type with a motor number 60 55 44 which she purchased in 1930.

Lieut a Saffron

July 1-1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P m and investigated a report made by Charles Harnard of 1350 west 3rd St. Stating that some time during the night some one Entered his store through the Cellar and stole about $4.00 worth of Fire works

Lieut a Saffron

July 1. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Attabio Masini of 314 East 6th St at 9. a m Stating that some time during the day his home was Entered and Ransacked I could not say just what was stolen I looked the house over but could not see how the house was Entered will make a further investigation to morrow

Lieut a Saffron

July 1. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in the Car till 2 a.m. and found conditions quiet

Lieut a Saffron

July 1. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 am to 6 Pm

Detct a Saffron

July 2. 1932 arrest

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m and Placed James Mc Dee of 440 W. 3rd St under arrest on a warrant issued from Union Co Probation office on Complaint made by Miss Lynch.

Detct a Saffron

July 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 10.30 P m. and found Conditions quiet.

Detct a Saffron

July 2. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 10. P. m.

Detct a Saffron

July 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9. am and worked with Detct a Saffron on the O Laughlin hold up. that took place Saturday night at his home in South Plainfield

Detct a Saffron

July 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray also worked with two Detectives from Linden Checking up an Car Licence 2 25-660 issued to De Forest of 935 Hillside ave. a Gas Station attendant in Linden was held up. and the number of the Car was taken. The License 2 25-660. was Mr De Forest number License of his Car. Mr De Forest is in Long Island and has that Car with him. I called him on the Phone. and he said neither the Cars or Plats was off the Cars. at the Islands on Saturday The Detectives was satisfied the man made a mistake in the number.

Detct a Saffron

July 3. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Leut a Saffran

July 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and Continued the investigation with Leut a Saffran in the O'Laughlin hold up. and checked up on Dealers Plates Number D1483.1 to 5 issued to Joe Barbana. and also had Barbana to South Plainfield and he accounted for all of the Plates.

Leut a Saffran

July 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray went with Sergt Nolan officers Mansfield & Wilson and Searched Mrs Smiths home at 5-17 East 3rd St on a tip that Phil Hawkins was there. We did not find him.

Leut a Saffran

July 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Tried to locate a Colored man named Gregory on a warrant for the Garwood Police. They gave an address for 436 East 3rd St. there is no such number and no one in the Vicinity Knows the man.

Leut a Saffran

July 4 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Remainder of the day he was on Duty throughout the City and found things quiet.

Leut a Saffran

July 4. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m

Leut a Saffran

July 5. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Leut a Saffran

July 5. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m and Placed Dominick Gommuci of 253 Johnson ave. under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Meza for Violating the dog ordinance

Deint a Sapperan

July 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Learned that Phil Hawkins who is wanted down South. is Living at Stevens Penna.

Deint a Sapperan

July 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Stated that Paul Beeler who Lived at 331 East 7th St. and is wanted in North Plainfield for Passing worthless checks is now living at 257 East Main St Grove City Pa.

Deint a Sapperan

July 5. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Interviewed Mrs Crane of 1321 South 2nd St. about her husband who is wanted here for Desertion and is Supposed to be in Yonkers N. Y. She Claims that Mr Huber who is a Cousin of Cranes and also Manager of the place. where Crane works will Shield him from the Police.

Deint a Sapperan

July 6. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty as his Day off.

Deint a Sapperan

July 6. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks. and Business. Sections from 8. a. m. to 6. P m.

Deint a Sapperan

July 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Sapperan

July 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray completed the deliquent list sent to Hdqs from the Public Library and obtained most of the books and money.

Deint a Soffron

July 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray tried to locate Joseph Vittos who lived at 830 George St. and is wanted for non Support. I learned that he is out of town address unknown

Deint a Soffron

July 7th 1932 Detective Sergt Gray also tried to locate C. A. Grinsman of 40 woodbine ave. who is wanted for worthless checks and learned that he is out of town till the End of July

Deint a Soffron

July 7. 1932 Detective E and Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 6 P m.

Deint a Soffron

July 8. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m and Served a warrant on Harry Zehi of 215 East 2nd St Plainfield at 11.30 a m. The warrant was Served at the request of Joseph Hanlan of Somerset County. Charged with deserting his family in Somerville N J.

Deint a Soffron

July 8. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was Checking up on Joe De Rosa of 123 Monroe ave. who we have under Suspicion of Stealing an automobile. I learned that a gang of Strangers have been hanging around his home during the nights for the Past two weeks.

Deint a Soffron

July 8. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray also investigated a report made by Dr Fitch of 764 watching au that on Wednesday while he was at the Hospital some one stole his Raincoat containing his Keys and Car License. Mrs Louie will notify Each Doctor as the coat was Evidently taken by mistake.

Deint a Sapperon

July 8. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deint a Sapperon

July 9. 1932

goods Stolen from 1400 West Front St.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Markhopper manager of the Restaurant at the International Motor Co. at 1400 west Front St. that some time during the night. a window on the East End of the Building was forced open and the Screen pried loose. Entrance was made through the window. 2 Cartons of Camels 5 Cartons of Lucky Strike. 6 Cartons of Chesterfield and Cartons of Piedmont. 7 Cartons of Old Gold Cigarettes. 14 Small Cans of Prince albert 6 Cans of Tuxedo 4 Cans of Lucky Strike 4 Cans of Granger. 11 Boxes of Candy and 5 boxes of Chewing gum. all Valued at about $50.00 was Stolen!

Deint a Sapperon

July 9. 1932

Robbery at Montgomery & Ward Co Store

Detective Seigt Gray reports the Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various Parts of the City on the Montgomery Ward & Co. Store Robbery. and also in the Business Sections tell 11.30 P.m.

Deint a Sapperon

July 9. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks & Business Sections from 9 a.m. to 10.P.m

Lieut a Soffron

July 10. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City all Day and found Conditions quiet

Lieut a Soffron

July 10. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Lieut a Soffron

July 10. 1932

Detective J Denny off Duty Sunday July 10th.

Lieut a Soffron

July 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for duty at 9 a.m and investigated a fire that occured at 763 East 2nd St. Detective Sergt Gray made a seperate report.

Lieut a Soffron

July 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Placed Melinda Byrd of Berkley Heights under arrest at 133 Liberty St on a warrant issued by Recorder Joseph Mulholland of Berkley Heights on Complaint made by Philip Heyman charging her with the larceny of two Diamond Rings and a brooch all Valued at $ 11.10 as I found Jewelry in her Possesion.

Returned Jewelery

Lieut a Soffron

July 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported the Remainder of the Day on Duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Soffron

July 11. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m

Deint a Soffran

July 12. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and was on Duty in Varians Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Soffran

July 12. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m.

Deint a Soffran

July 13. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty in the Business Sections of the City till 10 P m. and found Conditions quiet

July 13. 1932

Deint a Soffran

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m.

Deint a Soffran

July 14. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m. to 6 P m.

Deint a Soffran

July 15. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Deint a Soffren

July 15: 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested Samuel Rogers of 459 West Second St. on a warrant on complaint of his wife who charged him with assault.

Geist & Sapperan

July 15: 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny along with officer Slike we arrested Luke Mc Manley of 709 South ave at the corner of Garfield ave. and St Marys ave at 5:10 P.m. after mrs Charles Peterson of 321 Berckman St. had Phoned to Headqts. Stating that a man had taken her six year old daughter behind the Lincoln school and Exposed himself to her. after he had kept her there for about five minutes. he walked away down East Third St. to Garfield ave. and then over to St marys ave. He was followed by B. H. Burgess of 210 Berckman St. who finally caught up with him and detained him at the aforementioned corner until we arrived. Mrs Hachheiser of 137 Berckman St. was standing near the Corner of Second St. and Berckman St when this affair took Place. and observed what went on. She will appear in Court to testify

Geist & Sapperan

July 15: 1932

Detective J Denny investigated a report from John Walsh of 5 Vogel Place. Dunellen N.J. informed me at 4.30 P.M. That at about 12.30 P.m. he left his Illinois white Gold wrist watch Valued at $40.00 on a bench in the rear of his tire repairing store #231 East Second St. and noticed it missing a short time afterwards. He suspected a Peddler. who was Employed by Frank Lintz of 7 Spring St Elizabeth N.J. as the one taking it as he Laid his fruit basket down near the watch and it was missing shortly afterwards. I Searched throughout the town for this truck. But Could not locate it.

Geist & Sapperan

July 16. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the city from 8 a.m. to 10 P.m.

Lieut a Soffron

July 16. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny assisted Lieut a Soffron in raiding the Speakeasy Conducted by Samuel Greenblatt of 674 South Second St. We arrested Greenblatt and confiscated about a quart of Rye whiskey in a Pitcher and about a pint of Colored alcohol in a five gallon Can.

Lieut a Soffron

July 16. 1932

Montgomery Ward Co Store Robbery.

Detective J Denny brought Lenardo Safone of 771 North ave. aged 13 years to Headqtrs. and questioned him Concerning the Robbery at Montgomery wards Store on July 4th 1932 he admitted that he and Sam Cambiatta aged 12 years old. of 353 Hill St. They Climbed the fire Escape at the rear of this building and raised a trap door on the roof and Entered the Building through this opening He would admit only to taking four baseball gloves. two baseball gloves two tennis balls a box of Golf tees. and two Boxes of 22 Cal Bullets He said they Entered this building at about 5:30 P.m. and came out a first floor door onto the fire Escape. I will Continue the investigation of this case on monday

Lieut a Soffron

July 17. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Lieut a Soffron

July 17. 1932

Detective J Denny reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Lieut a Soffron

July 18. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deist a Sapporan

July 18. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered a Blue frame Bicycle from John Brummer aged 14 years old of Terrill Rd. This wheel was Stolen some time ago. and had been painted over Red.

Deist a Sapporan

July 18. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered a Baseball Catchers mitt from Leonardo Sapone aged 14 years old that had been stolen from Montgomery Ward Store on July 4th 1932.

Deist a Sapporan

July 18. 1932

Detective J Denny reports on Sunday July 17 1932 while passing the Lincoln School at 12 o'clock noon. I noticed some one in the School. and upon investigating found two young boys Leonard Sapone aged 14 years old of 771 North Ave and Denis Cambiatta Age 12 years old of 333 Hill St. upon the Second floor searched throughout the rooms. where I later found them. They did admitted Entering through an unlocked window. No damage was done. But Mr Zimmer is willing to sign a Juvenile complaint against them

Deist a Sapporan

July 18. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr E. W. Bowling at the Loizeaux Lumber Co. and Learned that he had left his Car near the Wardlaw Field on Rose St. on last Thursday and had a handfull of change and a Six foot tape measure stolen from it. It was Evidently the work of boys loitering near the field But Mr Bowling did not See any one near his Car The Ball games are played there Every Thursday.

Deist a Sapporan

July 19. 1932

Detective J Denny visitied Mr Banks of 775 Belvidere ave. in regards to a report left by officer Erber Concering the attempted of burning a Car left in his driveway on Friday night although he suspected a boy by the Name of Jack Whelan he did not have Soffecint proof to make a Complaint against him and did not want to Procead any further with the Case as long as Whelan Stayed off his Property.

Deint a Soffron

July 19. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deint a Soffron

July 19. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered two Baseball Gloves from Samuel Cambiatta that had been Stolen by him from the Montgomery ward Store.

Deint a Soffron

July 19. 1932

Detective J Denny Spent Considerable time in both the East and west Ends of the City Searching for Several bicycles that have been Stolen in the Past few days.

Deint a Soffron

July 19. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny and officer Campolatano arrested John Dawer on West Front St near Park ave. and Charged him with being drunk and disorderly.

Deint a Soffron

July 20. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m to 6. P.m.

Deint a Soffron

July 20. 1932 Detective J Denny recovered a Black frame wheel belonging to andrew Gissel of 10.20 arlington Ave ? That was Stolen May 23. 1932

Lieut a Soffran

July 20. 1932 Detective J Denny recovered another black framed Bicycle that was Stolen near the closing days of School from the Vicinity of the Strand Theatre It is the Property of Nathan Randolph. of 1323 Bellevieu ave.

Lieut a Soffran

July 20. 1932 Detective J Denny recovered these wheels from Leonardo Sapone 771 North ave. aged 14 years old

Lieut a Soffran

July 20. 1932 Detective J Denny Samuel Johnson who Conducts a Confectionery Store at 607 Berckman st. informed me that Sometime between 10.10 P.m. and 10.30 P.m. twenty five Dollars was taken from the Cash rigister in his Store at times. his register does not lock. and during this particular interval the drawers stood open six inches or more. The register is on the front Counter. and Could be Easely reached by anyone standing in front of the Counter There were Seven or Nine people in the Store during that time as near as Johnson Could remember. and I will have to check up on them all.

Lieut a Soffran

July 21. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Soffran

July 21. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Whitmore Whitstone of 429 John St reported to him that a man had been to his home yesterday and told his wife she was one of several people selected as the winners of a lot situated in Piscataway Township near New Brunswick Heights. This man told her all she had to pay was $69.00 to cover the cost of the search and transfer of the deed. When Whitstone told him he did not have the Sixty nine dollars he offered to take ten dollars and later two dollars as a deposit on the transaction Whetstone did not give him any money but agreed to go out and look at the Lots at Six O clock tonight. I located in the neighborhood and picked up the man when he called. when in Headqtrs he Explained that he was representing The Metropolitain Shores Improvement Co with a tract of land under Development in Piscataway Township He claimed these lots were worth $400. as instead of $69.00. I learned there was such a development as he Stated but doubt whether the Lots are worth any more that $69.00 This Mans name was Ralph Gilbert of 1936 Harrison Ave Bronx N.Y. and he was working for the Metropolitain Shares Co. 198 Broadway N.Y. City.

Deist a Soffron

July 21. 1932

Detective J Denny and officers Bray & Cattle and Sergt Mc Finley went to 308 West Fourth St in response to a Phone Call that there was some trouble there and upon our arrival found Cornelious Dalton aged 45 years old of 671 west Fourth St lying on the landing at the bottom of the second flight of Stairs he was knocked out and had Evidently fallen down the Steps. We called for the ambulance and took him to Muhlenberg Hospital where Dr Newman Examined him. and Said in a stupor from Excessive drinking I learned that Dalton had been up to Visit James Regan

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July 21. 1932

a friend living at 308 west Grant Street Regan said they both had been drinking but there was no trouble at the house. He let Dolton out of his apartment at 11.15 P.M. but did not notice what caused him to fall down the flight of Stairs Regan and he are on good terms.

Deist A Sapp

July 22. 1932

Detectives E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks & Business Sections of the City from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deist A Sapp

July 22. 1932

Detective J Denny and appicer Bray went to the american Grocery store at the Corner of Evana ave. and Santa 2nd St at 10.35 P.m. In response to a Phone Call by Mrs Demeray of 204 Clinton ave. Stating that a side door was Partly opened. upon our arrival we found it so and also that a pane of glass had been removed from it and Some one had Entered the store to burglarize it. We learned from two fifteen year old Boys. Clarence Boher. and Walter Lynch who Lived nearby. that they had noticed. three Small boys loitering near the door a short time Previously. we Learned that these small boys names were Raymond Kenia age 12. of 944 W. 3rd St and Denis Phillips age 12. of 1337 West Fourth St and walter Statkowski age 9. of 342 Rushmore ave. We Visited there homes and questioned them. They admitted breaking into the Store and Carrying away Seven dollars in Change. one Carton of Dairy Maid Candy. Three Cartons of Cigarettes. Three Cartons of Chewing gum. fifty Small Packages of Matches. and a Small Bag of peanuts. The total value of the loot was about twelve dollars. We recovered it all with the Exception of Some Pennies that were Probably dropped on the ground as the boys ran away. We will Summons them to the Juvenile Court. Michael Conway of 941 West Fourth St. is the manager of the Store.

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July 22. 1932 We notified him to look it which he did.

Deint a Saffran

July 22. 1932 Detective J Denny reports Nathan Bloom of 622 west Grant St informed me that three Colored boys loitering in the doorway of 605 west 4th St. a two story building owned by him had abused him and interfered with him last night as he attempted to go up the Stairs. He Stated that some one had also removed the top step of the stairs leading into the Cellar of this building making it dangerous for a person to pass. I located these boys two of them under age. and warned them that any further trouble. There would result in there arrest.

Deint a Saffran

July 22. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Evans Proprietor of Evans Lunch room 121 East Second St. Stated to me that a man whom she has roaming up Stairs over her restaurant Room number 2. makes a Practice of harboring a Girl in there at times for the night. She has warned him once about it but still keeps it up. This man is about 24 years old and is Employed as a printer with the Courier. News.

Deint a Saffran

July 22. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered a black case from a Small boy on George St. which contained a motion Picture Slide Camera and four reels of films. It is described as a Jam Handy Packet Explainer and Stolen from a Parked Car by Joseph Safone of 771 North ave

Deint a Saffran

July 23. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 2. a.m. to 10 P.m.

Lieut a Saffran

July 23. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated a report by officer weiss. That he had found a small rear windaw broken in the rear of a Key Shop at 125 Church St. operated by Mr Andrew Russell of 10.20 arlington ave. The window is fastened tightly with nails and as there were no signs of an attempt to force it. I questioned some small children living close by. and they said three small children were playing close to the store. and one of them threw an Empty tin can against the glass breaking it Mr Russell would not make any complaint against them.

Lieut a Saffran

July 23. 1932

Detective J Denny Continued the investigation of the disappearance of twenty five dollars from the Store of William Johnson on Beckman St. But as yet did not recover it

Lieut a Saffran

July 23. 1932 Detective J Denny also Continued Searching for several wheels reported stolen and I remained on Duty in the Business Section during the Evening.

Lieut a Saffran

July 24. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday July 24. as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffran

July 24. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday July 24. 1932 as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffran

July 25: 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut A Saffron

July 25: 1932

Detective J Denny Examined the house at 915 Kensington ave which officer Wingenroid found Had been Entered and learned that Some one had pushed in a Cellar window and proceeded over to a preserves were taken I went through the upper rooms of the house and found Everything apparently intact It was probably the work of boys of the neighborhood for a few weeks. Mr Case is the owner and he is away in Philadelphia for a few weeks.

Lieut A Saffron

July 25: 1932

Detective J Denny reports Mr Colon Cyprian of 149 North ave informed me that Sometime between 4:30 P.m. on Saturday and 8 a.m. on Monday morning Some one Entered his developing room in the Basement of 149 North ave. and removed a Vereto 5"x7 lens #A 10975; 2 1/2 in Diameter and 7 3/4 in focal length Valued at $35.25 from a Camera in Stalled there. The room has always been left unlocked and nothing Else in it was disturbed. Mr Cyprian does not suspect anyone in particular. There were no finger prints of Value left upon the Camera.

Lieut A Saffron

July 25: 1932

Detective J Denny reported that Mrs Goodwin Lawrence of 324 Stebbins Place reported to me that on Saturday night at about 2 a.m. while She and her husband left their home for a short time Some one Entered there home which was left unlocked and carried away $13.00 in Cash. and three Small Cakes. No one was Seen to Enter the house. But her next door neighbors. Mrs Seader and two boarders Ruth Robertson. and Martin Cass were on the Porch I questioned the both Seaders. and Ruth Robertson. and Cass. over

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July 25. 1932 But could not get any admission from any of them.

Lieut A Saffran

July 26 1932

Detective E McGarry investigated a report at 4.55 a.m. from Silvers 5 & 10 Cent Store. That they were holding a Girl there for Shoplifting after I Examined all her bundles. We found that She had taken $3.50 cent worth of Silk Stockings from the Suprise Store 168 East Grand St. The manager Charles Haltz. Who did not want to press any Complaint. The Girls name is Emma Carlson of R.F.D. #1 Bound Brook Grenbrook Rd. accompanied with Capt Leorch we returned the girl to her home.

Lieut A Saffran

July 26. 1932 Detective J Denny witnessed an accident on watchung ave in front of the City Hall at 10.35 a.m. and took the victim Joseph Conklin of 320 Halsey St. to the Hospital to be Examined after he Complained of an injured hip Dr F. R. Austin Examined him. and stated that he appeared only to be suffering from a badly bruised hip and allowed him to go home. I did not arrest the driver of the auto which figured in the accident as he claimed. he did not strike Conklin and Conklin also stated that he only fell while trying to avoid hitting the Car with his bicycle The Driver of the Car was Stanley Tomasewski of Box 32 R.F.D. #2 Scotch Plains N.J.

Lieut A Saffran

July 26. 1932 Detective J Denny Examined a house at 940 madison ave. which officer had reported as having been tampered with and found all though the screens on several windows had been broken. No Entry was made or no attempt to pry open the window. I questioned alfred Lowry of 366 Evona ave. age 10 years old and walter Statkowski 342 Rushmore ave aged 9 years old Regards to a Robbery at the international Motor Companys Restaurant

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July 26. 1932 on west Grant St on July 9th 1932 and learned from them that they committed this act on the date and disposed of the tobacco and cigarettes and candy by smoking and eating them I will Summons them to Court.

Levit a Saffron

July 27. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Levit a Saffron

July 27. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he arrested George Ginger at his office 105 East Front street at 4.30 P.m. on a warrant charged with Violating the Transient Merchants and Itinerant Vendors Act by Selling bankrupt stock without first obtaining a license.

Levit a Saffron

July 27. 1932 Detective J Denny also served a Summons on Irving Levine at 229 west Grant St which charged him with obstructing the Sidewalk

Levit a Saffron

July 27. 1932 arrest Detective J Denny arrested Dominic Paliero of 197 Commercial ave New Brunswick N. J. and charged him with Peddling fish with out a Permit and also with Violating the Board of Health Laws by allowing waste matter to drip upon the Sidewalk.

Levit a Saffron

July 28. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 9 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Levit a Saffron

July 28. 1932

Detective J Denny attended the Court Session which lasted until nearly 2 P.M. being Complainant in several cases.

Deist a Sapperson

July 28. 1932 arrest

Detective J Denny further investigated the case of Stanley Mackey. arrested for obtaining goods and money under false pretenses.

Deist a Sapperson

July 28. 1932

Detective J Denny reports conditions were quiet throughout the City.

Deist a Sapperson

July 29. 1932

Detective J Denny Spent Considerable time Endeavoring to Locate one Harvey Howell who was implicated in the Passing of a bad check upon Jacob Wolff of 105 Madison ave. and also Cashing a Charity organization. I requisition with Rubinstein Bros. In watchung ave I learned that he Spends most of his time in Newark and drops out here only occasionly I also learned that Stanley Howell who was arrested yesterday and is being held here was not the party who passed the checks and requestion as he was working at the Watchung Valley Country Club when this affair took place

Deist a Sapperson

July 29. 1932 Store Entered

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Beatly's 60 west 6th St. informed him that some one during the night sometime Entered his Store through a Side window and Stole about twelve Cartons of Cigarettes and a large Wagner Pie. The thief Entered through the Side window by removing a Screen. and left through a rear window. There were no marks or finger prints of Value anywhere in the Store

Deist a Sapperson

July 30. 1932

Detective J Denny and Lieut A Sapfran investigated a report from Fred Mc Lean the manager of the american Food Store at 500 East 2nd St. Stating while he was home to Lunch between 1 and 2 P.M. Someone Entered the Store through the rear window or door. by tearing off a Screen Covering and stole Seven dollars and a half from his Cash register. a small youngster. Millus King aged Six years old Said that he saw James Kelly aged 15 of 317 Fillmore ave. go into the store while Mc Lean was away. We Later located Kelly at his home. And he denied going into the Store or taking the money His Father said he would question him further. and try to ascertain what he did with the money

Store Entered by James Kelly of 317 Fillmore ave Plainfield N J

Lieut A Sapfran

July 30. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he Covered the City. And Residential section throughout the day. and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut A Sapfran

July 30. 1932.

Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks. and Business Sections from 8. a m to 10. P m.

Lieut A Sapfran

July 31. 1932

Detective J Denny reported off Duty Sunday July 31st as his Day off.

Lieut A Sapfran

July 31. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported off Duty Sunday July 31st as his Day off

Lieut A Sapfran

July 31. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that James Brown of 346 Emerson ave informed him that his New England Bicycle Black Frame Racing handle Bars. Racing tires. one Red and Black B. S. A. on gear. and welded in two places on frame near top of fork. has no Mudguards Weko Seat. was stolen about noon time to day.

Lieut a Sapprau

aug 1. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he was on his Vacation from July 14th till aug 1st 1932

Lieut a Sapprau

aug 1. 1932

house Entered

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9. a m and investigated a report made by Mr John J. Schwartz of 701 Sherman ave. Stating Some one Entered the home some time between 11 a m and yesterday and this morning. The house was Entered by Cutting the Screen on a rear window and raising the window that was unlocked one white Gold 1932 Graduation Ring and one Garnet yellow Gold Ring all Valued at $30. 00 was stolen officer Flynn and I could not find any finger Prints.

Lieut a Sapprau

aug 1. 1932

house Entered

Detective Sergt Gray also investigated a report made by Joseph Hughes Colored of 417 Plainfield ave. That some time between 8. 30 8 11. a m. to day his house was Entered 3 suits of Clothes. a white Pair of trousers and a pair of white and Black sport Shoes was Stolen I made a Canvas of the 2nd hand Stores and also the Pawn Shops. But could not Locate them

Lieut a Sapprau

aug 1. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was Checking up the 2nd District and Part of the 3rd District of the 3rd ward Election list.

Lieut a Sapprau

Aug 1. 1932

Detectives Sergt Gray and Deint a Saffron toured the Residential sections of the City in the Police Car from 5:30 P.m till 9:15 P.m. and found Everything quiet.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 1. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m. also on Duty at the City Hall until 9.30 P.m.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 1. 1932

House Entered

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Maurice B Cooke of 1049 Kenyon Ave informed me that his home had been Entered while he had been away over the week End. I investigated and found that a small Pane of glass over the catch on a rear Porch window had been smashed allowing the window to be unlached and Entrance gained in that way. The house was thoroughly Searched from Cellar to attic and several articles of Jewelry as well as an overcoat was taken. The Jewelry included an Elgin 17 Jewel open face yellow gold thin Model watch. a gold double rope Link watch Chain with a Square sliding Emblem and $2 1/2 1915 Gold piece. Soldered to Chain. The Emblem had the initials R. S.B. inscribed upon the back of it. The mens watch was Valued at $40.00 and the Chain at $25.00. a ladys white gold wrist watch Valued at $5.00 also taken. The overcoat was of Dark blue material and was brought in John Wanamaker and at Present was Valued at about $10.00.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 1. 1932

arrest — Detective J Denny arrested George Briggs on a warrant. Charged him with Striking and further threatening to injure one Alberta Lambertson of 5:40 West 2nd St.

Leut A Saffron

Aug 2. 1932 — Detective Sergt Gray continued to check up the list of Voters in the 3rd ward. and toured the residential sections of the city in the Police Car from 5:30 P m to 9:30 P m and found conditions quiet.

Leut A Saffron

Aug 2. 1932 — Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8. A m to 6. P. m.

Leut A Saffron

Aug 2. 1932 — Detective J Denny reports that he went to the home of Mr Harold Barford of 10.41 Kenyon Av shortly after midnight after he had reported that his house had been Entered I noticed that a Pane of glass near the window catch had been broken with a small flower Pot. That was resting outside underneath the window an inside screen was removed and entrance gained in that way. Mr Barford left his home at about 9. P. m. and returned at about 11.45 P m or 12. P m upon walking to the rear of the house he discovered the break in the window as far as he could see nothing was taken from the house.

Leut A Saffron

aug 2. 1932

Detective J Denny reported he visited Mr E. J. Connor at 630 Sherman ave. and he informed me. That on monday morning he had noticed the screen on the Kichen window cut in two different Places just above the Sashe that fastened it. There were no signs of anyone having been in the house so he did not call up right away. He was away from home on Sunday night for a couple of hours. and the attempt to Enter was Probably made then.

Deint a Saffron

aug 2. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he brought a Large Police dog to Headqtrs that was loitering around Mr Barefords home on Kenyon Ave There is no license tag upon his Collar. He was Prevously seen by officer Peterson following John Aszeycsik whom he arrested in that Vicinity.

Deint a Saffron

aug 3. 1932.

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty all Day aug 3rd as his Day off.

Deint a Saffron

aug 3. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 6 P. m.

Deint a Saffron

aug 3. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported. That George Ginger. Started a Sale at 215 W. Front St at 10 a. m. This morning of Men and Womans wearing apparel. which he bought at the Rosenthals Bankrupt Sale. Mr Ginger claims to have a two year lease on the Property and that he had taken the matter up with the Mayor. and Corporation Counsel.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 3. 1932

Detective J Denny visited Mrs H J. Gasselin of 947 arlington Ave. and she informed me that while she was away visiting at about 9. P. m. and her Children were home. But in the upper Part of the house a Colored man Entered her Kitchen through the rear door but fled as soon as he was observed by another youngster Caroline Butler aged 9. who ran in to Mrs Gasselins home to visit the Children. The little girl described the man as a light Complexioned Colored man. about Six foot tall wearing a Light Grey trousers. and white shirt. and a Vest and no hat on. He disappeared through the back yard. and over the rear fence in the general direction of Park ave. Several other officers and myself. Searched for him But without Success Nothing was taken from the house.

Dennt a Gaffron

aug 3. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested George Zinger at 2.15 West Grant St on a warrant Charging him with Violating the Transient Merchants and Itinerant Vendors act at the aforementioned address.

Dennt a Gaffron

aug 3. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested walter J. Zulenski and Daniel Polzunoff while in the act of fighting at the Corner of Muhlenberg Place at about four o clock in the afternoon Zulenski was Covered with Blood about his face and neck and Claimed that one Polzunoff struck him on the head with a hammer.

Dennt a Gaffron

aug 4. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was an Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Leint a Soffron

aug 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Completed the Check up of the Registery list of the 3rd ward and toured the residental Section of the city in the Police Car. from 5:15 P. m till 9:30 P m and found Conditions quiet

Leint a Soffron

aug 4. 1932 Detective J Denny recovered a boys Skipper Bicycle. which was left lying against a hedge at the Corner of Evergreen Ave and Park ave.

Leint a Soffron

aug 4. 1932

Detective J Denny brought James Santonastaso of 225 South 2nd St. to Police Headqts for questioning in regards to the Stores Case.

Leint a Soffron

aug 4. 1932 Detective J Denny Covered the Residental Section until 11 P. m. in the Vicinity of Kenyon ave where the several Robberies have taken Place. I also Visited different Parts of the City. and Business Sections during the Day and found Conditions quiet.

Leint a Soffron

aug 5. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported an Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6. P m.

Leint a Soffron

aug 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was an Duty in Various Parts of the City all Day and toured the City and Residental Sections of the City till 9.30 P m and found Conditions quiet.

Leint a Soffron.

aug 5. 1932 arrest — Detective J Denny arrested George Ginger on a warrant charging him with Violating the Transient Merchants and Itinerant Vendors ordinance.

Levit a Saffron

aug 5. 1932 — Detective J Denny Visited different Parts of the City. and Business Sections during the Evening. and Day.

Levit a Saffron

aug 6. 1932 — Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P. m. and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 2 a m. and found Conditions Quiet.

Levit a Saffron

aug 6. 1932 — Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9. a m to 10 P. m.

Levit a Saffron

aug 6. 1932 arrest — Detective J Denny arrested George Ginger of 105 East Front St on a warrant charging him with Violating the Transient Merchants and Itinerant Vendors ordinance.

Levit a Saffron

aug 6. 1932 arrest — Detective J Denny arrested Sylvester Donalson Colored. Charged with Panhandling.

Levit a Saffron

aug 6. 1932 — Detective J Denny gave a Summons to Veastela Gunstall age 17 on Complaint of her Mother who Charged her with being incarrigible

Levit a Saffron

Aug 6. 1932

Detective J Denny reports along with officer Dolly I arrested Willis Burrow of the Jerseyland sections of Scotch Plains on Park Ave and West Fourth St. and Charged him with being drunk.

arrest

Quint a Saffran

aug 6. 1932

Detective J Denny Covered different Parts of the residential Sections and specially the South Side and business Section till 12. P.m.

Quint a Saffran

aug 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m and Questioned Several boys Caught in the Surprise Store at 170 East Front St about 3. P.m. By officer wiggins They admitted Entering a Garage on East Front St and stealing articles from there It was at the home of Chauncey Stout 511 East Front St Three water Bottles and a bunch of Keys were returned to Hodge. They still have a pair of Skates and a Pair of Field glasses to be returned to morrow nothing was Stolen from this Surprise Store.

Quint a Saffran

Aug 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray and Sergt Brown and Detectives Knellen and Arnold of the Newark Police and I went to the home of Patsy Ducanllo at 132 George St. to question him about Some $10.00 Bill Given out by his Son James Ducanllo. at the Newark Market. And were Counterfeit. James was placed under arrest by the Newark Police and the father got away When we arrived at the house the daughter age about 16 years old told us the father Came home. But went back to Newark which we found out was the truth. On Friday Aug 5th the Father and Son were both at the Market in Newark. and Passed 4 ten Dollar Bill all Counterfeit The numbers are 2 Bills B 192.739 25 A B19382741A. and B19183985A The father and Son are both under arrest in Newark (Over.)

Counterfeit Ten Dollar Bills

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Aug 7. 1932

The family have lived here about 7 months and have a store at 305 watson ave. and also sell at the Public market on North ave The Detectives did not want the house searched but said some one from New Ark would be here to morrow.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 7. 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday aug 7th as his Day off

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 7. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday aug 7th as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 8. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 7.30 P.m Then toured the City in the Police Car in the Residental Section till 2 a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 8. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 8. 1932

auto accident

Detective J Denny investigated an accident which occured at the Cormer of West seventh st and Park ave. and learned that at 10.50 a.m. a light delivery truck owned by Vogel and Gonzes of 664 South ave. and driven by Julius Spurr of 1426 Willever st. was about to make a left hand turn into Park ave. when it was struck by a Chevrolet Sedan Car. owned and driven by Mr H.S. Hetherington of 205 Stelle ave. Miss Mary Elizabeth Hetherington aged 17 years old. was cut slightly about the face by flying glass. and was taken to Dr Childers for treatment Spurr was charged with a auto assault.

Lieut a Saffron

aug 5. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested George Ginger on a warrant charging him with Violating the transeant Vendors Merchants and Itinerant ordinance.

Dent a Saffron

aug 9. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Dent a Saffron

aug 9. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P m and Placed Clarence Fredericks of 133 Liberty St under arrest on a warrant charged with grand Larceny.

Dent a Saffron

aug 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray toured the Residental Sections of the City in the Police Car till 2 a m and found Conditions quiet.

Dent a Saffron

aug 9. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr. Dorsey 1143 Stilford Ave. at 11 P. m. and he informed me that at about 9 P. m. while his white maid was working in the Kitchen. She heard a slight noise by the door and saw a Colored man looking through the glass. The maid was alarmed and walked over to the door and Pulled down the shade. immediately went up Stairs to the bedroom and stayed with Mr Dorsey Child aged 7 months. Mr and Mrs were out Visiting and did not return until 11 P m. The maid did not here any further noise or attempt to get in the home. And as she did not Look out anymore. She did not see the man go away. She discribed him as of dark Complexion - full face. Stout build appearing well dressed. and wearing a grey Cap. I Searched the Vicinity and also notified the officer on the Post of what had occured. I did not locate anyone.

Dent a Saffron

Aug 9. 1932
arrest.

Detective J Denny and officer Mansfield arrested Jerry Modonna of 921 North ave on a warrant charged with striking his wife.

Lieut a Saffioran

Aug 9. 1932

Detective J Denny visited Muhlenberg Hospital in response to a call from there that a man was taken there and claimed to have cut himself with a knife. I learned that Milton Hubschman 549 South 20th St Newark N.J. aged 25 years also who is Employed in a Mutual Grocery Store on North ave Dunellen was using a Caning Knife and it slipped and cut him about a half inch deep in his Stomach near the belt line. His wound was dressed by Dr Austin and he returned to the Store in Dunellen N J

Lieut a Saffioran

Aug 10. 1932

Detective E. McGarry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m

Lieut a Saffioran

Aug 10. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty all Day as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffioran

Aug 10. 1932
Stolen Bicycles

Detective J Denny recovered two Bicycles from Leonard Lupone of 672 North ave aged 13 years also and Louis Gamblestta aged 11 years old. That they admitted stealing in Somerville on Monday I returned them to officer Doughtery of the Somerville Police.

Lieut a Saffioran

Aug 10. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Mr Pierre Moore of 125 Central ave informed me that some one between 9 P. m. Saturday night and Monday morning same one Entered a house at 407 East Sixth St which he had just Vacated and stole a new broome and two floor brushes- one about 14 inches and the other about 20 inches in width. a Small Italian boy was reported to have been seen leaving the Vicinity with them.

Levit a Sapperson

Aug 11. 1932.

Detective J Denny Visited Mr Dawson 1116 Putnam Ave. in Response to a Phone call that some one was looking in one of his bedroom windows at about 10:30 Pm. He and his wife were retiring for the night. and had not as yet Pulled down there shades. That Probably accounted for the Presence of the Peeper. He ran away quickly upon being noticed. and fled along Kensington ave toward watching ave. He is described as a young man wearing a white shirt dark trousers. and no hat. I searched the Vicinity well. But could not Locate anyone loitering about.

Levit a Sapperson

Aug 11. 1932

Detective J Denny went along with Chief Barrett of New Market. to the home of Salvatore Russo. of 1725 West 4th St. and Examined his Car to see if it showed any Signs of having been in an accident. He License number was given to officer Mansfield as that of the Car That Struck a Parked Ford roadster belonging to Lewis Morse of Kingsley ave which he had left standing on W. 5th St opposite Division St. The driver of the Car Striking Morses Car. did not Stop and turned the Corner of Liberty St. disappearing from View I noticed that there was a dent in the front right fender of Russos Car. and also that his front right hub Cape was missing

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Aug 11. 1932 He at first he denied having an accident But when confronted with the facts that we had his License number and his missing hub-Cap. he admitted striking a Car I gave him a Summons to appear in Court on Tuesday august 16. 1932.

Deint a Sapprun

Aug 11. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m to 6 P.m

Deint a Sapprun

Aug 11. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 2. a.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Sapprun

Aug 12. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3. P.m and investigated a report made by Mrs Conklin of 444 west 6th St. Stating while she was in the Babcock Building on July 26th 1932. She lost a piece of Paper Containing one one Dollar Bill and fifty Dollar Bill. also about 60 cents in Change I questioned the Elevator operator. the janitor and albert Jaeger who lived in the Building Jaeger admits finding a Dollar Bill on the Back Stairs and said Mr & Mrs Conklin was in the Building at the time and were both under the influence of Liquor.

Deint a Sapprun

Aug 12. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m to 6 P.m

Deint a Sapprun

aug 12. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited 724 Berkely ave the location of the so called Hobby School and found Conditions quiet there. There were not any Children aboute the yard.

Leiut a Soffran

aug 12. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited westfield headqts and questioned Joseph Smith a Prisoner Conarning. Several robberies Committed here in this City two weeks ago. He denied all Knowledge of them. and Stated that he was arrested in new ark two days before they were Committed

Leiut a Soffran

aug 12. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested George Zinger on two warrants Charging him with Violating the Transient Merchants and Itinerant Vendors ardinance on August 11th and August 12th

Leiut a Soffran

aug 12. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he went to 611 west 3rd St and investigated the source of a Suspicious fire which accured in that house at 12.25 a m on August 11th 1932 I found the hause to be a 2 1/2 Story frame structure owned by James B. Banes. who Runs marks and rooms at the Midway Rest near Dumellen on Highway #29 The Stairway leading to the Second floor was burned Considerably The front and rear rooms and floor down Stairs was Saturated with Kerasene and upstairs in a rear room was a five Gallon Can of garalin with a trail of Kerasene Soaked papers leading from the burnt Hallway over to it. The flames were Confined however to the Stairs and hallway and did not start toward the five gallon Can It was a Clear Case of arson and I will Continue to investigate it farther. along with the investigater Sheriff. I secured a Statment from James Banes and William Spitho a friend of his.

Leiut a Soffran

Aug 13. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that the following boys were summoned to the Juvenile Court for receiving stolen Bicycles Louis Cambeleatta age 11 353 Hill St and Lebnarda Sapone age 13 of 672 North ave. These two boys hitch hiked to Somerville on Monday August 8. 1932. and stole two Bicycles while there. They rode these wheels back to Plainfield and had them in there Possesion until I apprehended them two days later. The wheels were returned to an officer from Somerville who brought the owners here to Identify them

Stolen Bicycles

Geist a Saffran

Aug 13. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he noticed two boys traveling along South ave near Richmond St and upon questioning them I learned that they had ran away from home on Friday night The boys names were Willard Deemer age 15. and Raymond Sedlock age 12. They lived across the road from one another on Ferry Road near Sergeantsville which is about Six miles from Flemington. Their Parents were notified and came to Police Headqts and took them home.

Geist a Saffran

Aug 13. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr Herman Hartig of 10 Craig Place North Plainfield who is manager of the american Store at the Corner of Sixth st. and Beckman St. and learned from him that on Saturday night august 6th at about 10 P m a Colored man came to his store. and Purchased three Cans of Malt. He offered Hartig a Check for $18.00 in Payment for the goods Hartig said he did not know him and asked him several questions Concerning his Identify. The man said he had just finished laying a Concrete floor in a garage at 335 west 2nd St. and this was his Pay Check that he was offering. He said he lived at 806 East Second St. After some hesitation Hartig gave the man the differance in Cash ($17.31) Cents between the Cost of the malt and the amount

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Worthless Checks

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Aug 13-1932 — of the check. and the man departed. on Wednesday the Check Came back marked no account. It was a State Trust Company Check made Payable to Frank Jones also endorsed it. Both fo the previously mentioned addresses on East and west Second St are pictures Hartig describes this man as. 30 years old. 6 ft tall slender build thin face. Clean Shaven. medium Brown Skin and wearing Brown trousers. Blue shirt and a Grey hat. Hartig had never seen this fellow before.

Worthless Checks

Dint a Sapperon

Aug 13. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m. and investigated a report made by officer Denny that a Pane of glass was broken out of a window in the shop of Mr wylie at 224 west 2nd Street The shop was not Entered and nothing was stolen.

Dint a Sapperon

Aug 13. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in the Business Sections till 11 Pm and found Conditions quiet.

Dint a Sapperon

Aug 13. 1932 — Detectives Sergt Gray placed Millin Shakle of 132 Johnson ave. Arthur Simons of 72 Raymond ave. and Eugine Mc Pherson of 135 East 2nd St

arrests — under arrest on warrants issued by Judge William G. DeMeza Charged with disorderly Conduct.

Dint a Sapperon

aug 13 1932

Detective J Denny was with the Fire Insurance Investigator tracing the source of a questionable fire at 609 & 611 West 3rd St.

Lieut a Saffron

aug 13. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 10 P m

Lieut a Saffron

aug 14. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported that he was on Duty in the City in Various Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

aug 14. 1932 Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday the 14th as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

aug 14. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday the 14th as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

aug 15. 1932

arrest Detective Sergt Gray arrested Herbert Barth of 143 Rethenwood Ave on a warrant issued by Judge William G. De Mega. on Complaint of J. a. Lynch of the Public Service Charged with Larceny

Lieut a Saffron

aug 15. 1932

arrest. Detective Sergt Gray arrested William Reinman of 216 Stebbins Place. on a warrant Issued by Judge De Mega on a Complaint made by Mrs Reinman Charged with disorderly Conduct. and the Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various Parts of the City

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 15. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated the removal of some furniture from the Residence of Mr Palmer of 764 Kenwood ave I learned that Mr Palmer is demented. and she ordered the furniture removed to Oak Tree Road to the residence of Mr Miller. The furniture was removed with the Consent of Mr Palmer.

Aug 15. 1932

Detect a Saffran

Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Detect a Saffran

Aug 15. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that as he was Passing a Vacant house of 336 East 5th St I noticed some boys coming from the Cellar and upon further investigation I found that Six Boys from the Vicinity of St Marys ave. had Entered the building and had ripped out Considerable lead Pipe. and the Copper lining of an old Style bath tub. They were just about to carry the metal away when I found them in the house. There names were Louis Cambeleatta of 353 Hill St aged 11. Benjamin Diana of 743 North ave. 9 years old. John Battone of 738 St Marys ave aged 9 years old. August Alberino of 736 St Marys ave, aged 12 years old. Michael Capua 723 North ave, aged 13 years old, And Michael Alberino 736 St Marys ave, aged 10 years old on Saturday Joseph Saponi. Leonardo Saponi Louis Cambeleatta and Benny Diana took some lead and Copper away from this house and Sold it to a junk man. by the name of De Lillo on North ave for forty cents.

Dect a Saffran

Aug 15. 1932

Detective J Denny further investigated the questionable fire at 611 west Third St. and obtained a Statement from Luther Jackson concerning what he saw at the time of the fire. he also found Conditions otherwise quiet throughout the City.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 16. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 16. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray arrested Nicholas Di Prals of 360 Emerson ave. on a warrant issued by August Drier of North Plainfield Charged with defrauding a Board Bill.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug. 16. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 17. 1932

Detective J Denny reports the following boy to be Summoned in to Juvenile Court for Entering a Vacant house at 336 East 6th St. and ripping out lead pipe from underneath the Sinks and taking out a Copper lining from an old Style bath tub. also damaging a Copper Co. in a gas heater. Joseph Sapone 672 North ave. Plainfield. and Leonardo Sapone 672 North ave. and Lewis Cambeleatta 353 Hill St. Plainfield

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 17. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut a Saffron

Aug 17. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty the 17th Wednesday as his Day off.

Levit A Saffran

Aug 17. 1932 Detectives J Denny and officer Mansfield and I arrested Mathieu Benoitz 112 West Seventh St. on Complaint of James B. Guttridge of 1780 Woodland ave. Who Charged him with Committing an act of indecency upon him while riding in his Car.

Levit A Saffran

Aug 17. 1932 Mrs Thomas Janes of 508 West Fourth St informed Detectives J. Denny That sometime during the Past two weeks a mans yellow gold open face. Medium sized gold watch. With an hand missing. was Stolen from a mantlepiece in her home. She suspected a former boarder by the name of Ryland Wiggins but does not know where he now lives.

Levit A Saffran

Aug 17. 1932 Detectives J Denny reports he located Joseph Saporo aged 15 years old. and Leonard Saporo 13 years old in the alley alongside of the Paramount Theatre. Trying to Sell a Silver Plated Cigarette and match Case to a Colored man. I Searched Joseph Saporo and found a Second set similar to the one he was Selling in his trousers Pocket They said that they found these articles in a rubbish heap. But upon further questioning Learned Saporo admitted the he Stole them from Blairs Mens shoppe at 109 East 2nd St. I returned the articles to Mr Blair. and sent the boys cramer into the Juvenile Court.

Aug 18. 1932

Levit a Saffran

Detectives E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m.

Levit a Saffran

Aug 18. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that he located Mrs Maria Bogelow living at 304 Bergen st Information wanted by Mrs Emma Roberts of Scituate Mass.

Detct a Saffran

Aug 18. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Put a Stop on a yellow gold ring at Driers Pawn Shop. Pawned by walter Hartfpence of 1257 North ave. and owned by Mr wychoff of 1257 North ave. Mr wychoff does not want to make a Complaint as Hartfpence is his Son in Law.

Detct a Saffran

Aug 18. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray and officer Schramph. and I brought John Igas age 17 and Francis ayers age 15 both living at 442 west 2nd Street to Holys from Randolph Road and Central ave and Placed them under arrest there by officer Vail. Charged with Stealing fruit. Released by Sergt Burningham Tell 8.16 a.m. to morrow The Remainder of the day I was on duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Detct a Saffran

Aug 18. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr H. R. Finch of 303 west Eighth St. second Floor apartment informed him that during the night someone Entered his garage and Stole two tennis Racquets and six tennis balls. The racquets were Valued at $7.00 a Piece. They were marked Henry Lee Driver Racquets same tools were also taken from the Car of Mr Kerschner who uses the Same garage Mr Finch is of the opinion the Act was Committed before ten o'clock in the Evening.

Detct a Saffran

Aug 18. 1932

accident case.

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Wm Drake of Cecelia Place. Scotch Plains informed me at about 10 P.m. that Mrs Isabell Bird aged 56 years old. who lived with him at that address was struck by an automobile while crossing west Grant to rear Orford Place the driver of the Car striking her Stopped and Picked her up and offered to take her home. She told him that she lived on Cecelia Place. which is one Block beyond Gerrill Rd. and intersects East Second St. when he got as far as East Second St. and Gerrill Rd. he refused to take her any farther and. She had to walk the remaining distance Her both arms were bruised Black and blue and also both her Legs Both Knees were also Cut. She was Not Positive of the number of the Car. But thought it was K-30784 NJ She said the Car was a large Sedan and Brown in Color. I will look up the owner of this Car Alexander Stevens of 259 whittier ave Dunellen N.J. in the morning. There was no report of this accident made here by the driver.

Deint a Sapperon

Aug 19. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9. a.m. and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City all Day and found conditions quiet.

Deint a Sapperon

Aug 19. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Deint a Sapperon

Aug 19. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Harlack of 305 Elizabeth St. and Learned that a man indecently Exposed himself to her on last Tuesday Evening about 6. P.m. while She was passing through Greenbrook Park. She could only See Part of his body as he used the foliage to hide his face. I notified officer Regan of the County Park Police and he said he will keep a Sharp lookout for him.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 19. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited 515 West Seventh St to interview Mrs G. M. Whitright who lived there regarding a missing Person from Chicago But Learned that She recently moved to New York City address unknown.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 19. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited different Parts of the City during the day and remained on Duty in the Vicinity of the Black Dance on Church St until 12. midnight.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 19. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he attended a Session of the Juvenile Court in Elizabeth regarding Six Boys Sent down from Plainfield Robert Kania & Louis Phillips & Eugene Thompson and J. W. Alleson were Placed upon Probation for a year.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 19. 1932

Detective J Denny Continued to investigate the accident in which Mrs Isabella Beard was Struck by an automobile on West Front St last night. I did not Locate the guilty Party however.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 20. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m and investigated a report made by Major Adams of the Plainfield Emergency Relief that some men who are obtaining relief are cashing them at stores for cash Mr Williams who is in charge of the office will make up a list of the Grocerystore and also the men who obtain relief and I told him I would go over it with him to see if we could work out a scheme to trap both the grocers and the men who are taking advantage of the orders.

Levi A Saffren

Aug 20. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Levi A Saffren

Aug 20. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Levi A Saffren

Aug 20. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he went along with the Manager of the Kresges Five & Ten Cent Store I rounded up four Boys that had taken Eight Packs of Playing Cards from a Counter in the Store They were Michael Boatzic aged 14 years old and Frank Boatzic aged 10 years old of 59 Everett Place Peter Sepelya of 36 De Kalb ave 13 years old and John Krim of 64 Everett Place 13 years old The Manager did not desire to appear in Court against these youngsters so I gave them a Severe reprimand before Sending them home.

Levi A Saffren

Aug 20. 1932 Detective J Denny assisted Sergt Robinson of the Central R. R. Police in trying to Locate two groups of bags one of which placed a rail road tie on the tracks near Rock ave. and the other a piece of Iron on the tracks near Fetherwood Station

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 20. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited different Parts of the City and Business Sections during the Day and Evening and found Conditions quiet

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 20. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he answered a Phone Call from Kresges Five & Ten Store on West Front St and learned from the manager that he was holding two girls in the office whom he Suspected of Shoplifting. I questioned them and Examined there Shopping bags and found that they had merchandise in there Possession from Rosenbaums and Silvers Five & ten Store as well as Kresges There names were Helen and Mary Daresch of 312 Dane ave South Plainfield aged 14 and 18 years old respectively I learned from Chief McCarthy that there is Seven Children in the Daresch family the mother is dead and the father is in the insane asylum. They are in very Strangent Circumstances and the City has been doing a lot to help them. In View of this and the fact that the older Sister gave the younger one Enough money to Pay for the articles taken the Various managers would not press any Complaints and allowed them to Pay for the goods.

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 21. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 6 P.M. and was on Desk Duty at Police Headqtr till 3 A.M.

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 21. 1932

Detective J Denny reported off Duty Sunday 21st at his Day off.

Deist a Saffran

Aug 21. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported off Duty Sunday 21st at his Day off

Deist a Saffran

Aug 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 11. P. m and was on Duty in the Business Sections till 3 a. m. and then was on Duty at the Desk in Police Headqts.

Deist a Saffran

Aug 22. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a. m. to 6 P. m.

Deist a Saffran

Aug 22. 1932

Detective J Denny visited the home of Mr H. M. Halder of 929 Watching ave. and learned from Mrs Halder that Some one threw a Stone through her garage. Mrs Halders mother remembered hearing a Noise toward the garage during the Middle of the afternoon. But did not think anything of the noise at the time. This was Sunday afternoon. I questioned Eight Colored boys that I found in Various places on Richmond St. near this house but all denied knowing anything about the window. There is an apple tree in the yard next door and the damage done was probably by boys throwing stones at the apples.

Deist a Saffran

Aug 22. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited the office of Dr. H. Kaplan the Dentist of 129 Park ave. and learned from. that his office had been Entered. Some time. between 6 P.m. Saturday night and nine o'clock monday morning. and Considerable gold Carried away. The gold was in a form of finished Bridge work. and these parts were ripped out of Plaster molds in his office. The finished work was Valued at $200.00 by Dr Kaplan. But the actual gold Value was about $40.00. The door leading from the Street to his Stairway was opened from the Street by the thief inserting a thin instrument behind a Strip of Molding and Sliding back the plunger of the lock. The same procedure was followed upstairs at the office door. I could not locate any finger Prints of Value.

Entered office of Dr Kaplan 129 Park ave

Deint a Saffron

Aug 22. 1932

Detective J Denny reported he attended a Pistal Match Practice at the Union County Park Range during the afternoon.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 22. 1932

Detective J Denny reports also that he spent Considerable time with Sergt Robinson of the Central Railroad Police in endeavoring to locate several boys that placed a Railroad tie upon the tracks near Rock ave.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 23. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 6. 0 m with Capt Leorch and officer Wingenried and I Placed Berkley Lewis of 313 Liberty St under arrest. Charged with assaulting his wife Elizabeth by punching her in the left Eye. And breaking her glasses. Some of the glass cutting her Eye.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 23. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to Dr Linkes home at 1225 Evergreen ave. on a telephone call from a neighbor saying there was a light in the house. and it was Vacant. I found Everything O.K. and learned that Dr Linke left the light burning.

Deist a Soffron

Aug 23. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that he toured the Residential Section of the City in the Police Car. and found Everything quiet.

Deist a Soffron

Aug 23. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks & Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deist a Soffron

Aug 23. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that I went to the Muhlenberg Hospital at about 9.20 P.m. to interview Mrs Elizabeth Lewis of 313 Liberty St. aged 24 years old. Who was taken there for treatment of an injury inflicted to her Eye. She told me that at about 8.30 P.m. Her husband Burkely Lewis said that he was going to New York City with a fellow whom he met recently. She did not think he was telling the truth. and when she remonstrated with him. he struck her in the Eye with his fist. She was wearing her glasses at the time. and the force of the blow broke one of them. and cut her Eye in Several places. Dr Orton of the Hospital Staff attended her injuries. and stated that she was suffering from a laceration of the left malor Bone laceration of the left upper lid down to the margin. and a Small laceration of the left lower lid. The Eye itself as far as he could See was not invalved. I left her Pair of glasses with Sergt Nolan at the Desk. I also brought her to Headqts where she was booked as a Material Witness.

Deist a Soffron

Aug 23. 1932

Detective J Denny also investigated a report from Jacks Happiness Market at 138 East Front St that some one had Entered the Building during the night and took about $3.77 cents from the Cash Register. a Section of the Mosquito netting placed over a Skylight entrance had been broken open as if Someone had dropped down through it. There were no signs of any way in which the thief left the Building how Ever. The Manager John Dorton said that he left at about Seven O Clock and locked the place up Securely.

Store was Entered at night

Deint a Saffron

Aug 23. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated a Still alarm of fire which Came in at 10.20 a.m. and found that a Small Blaze had Started near the Motor of a Ford Coupe Car which had been left Standing near the rear of 300 Park ave. The License of this Car was E.507114J. I did not See the owner of the Car around. The fire was quickly Extinguished with Chemicals.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 23. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated delinquent books Borrowed from the Public Library and returned two of the Books to Mrs Bawman. at the Library.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 23. 1932 Detective J Denny reports about 10.20 P.m. That officer Regan and I went to 1226 Evergreen ave. to investigate a Phone Call that there were Suspicious lights in this house. all the doors and windows were Secured and nothing appeared to be disturbed.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 24. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 p m

Deint a Saffron

Aug 24. 1932 Detective Sergt. Gray reported off Duty Wednesday August 24th as his Day off.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 24. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he assisted Sergt Robinson of the Railroad Police to tracing the Identity of a boy who Placed an Iron Plate upon the Railroad tracks near the Netherwood Station last wednesday morning. we learned that his name was Michael Cambeleatta of 353 Hill St. and Stephan Deana of 743 North ave. was with him at the time.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 24. 1932 Detective J Denny Spent some time attempting to recover some library books for Miss Bowman of The Public Library In a Couple of Cases I will have to wait until Saturday before the family will be home.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 24. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he attended a Pistol match at Kenilworth between the Plainfield and Elizabeth teams.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 24. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited the home of Mrs Whimbleton Scipea 806 East Second St in response to a Call from him. that boys were throwing Stones into his yard. I found a Large Groupe of boys on the Playgrounds at the rear of Scipios Property. I made them leave the Vicinity and told the Instructor in Charge of the grounds to watch them. which he said he would.

Deint a Saffron

Aug 24. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Williams & Suydam Lumber yard on north ave in respons to a call from there that boys were trespassing and laitering on the Property. There was no one there however when I arrived and Everything was quiet.

Deint a Sapporan

Aug 24. 1932

Detective J Denny went along with Several officers to assiste in the search for two men that had tried to Enter a house in South-Plainfield by placing a ladder up to the second floor. windaw. Officer Gen Eyck Picked them up. on Sherman ave near Maltby ave. There names were Antonio Valinchat of 437 Ridge St Freeland Penn. aged 20 years and Metra Kremenko of 103 Maple St. Freeland Penn aged 17 years old Valinchas Claimed to have hitch hiked to the Vicinity of Plainfield and intended to stop at the home of Joseph Meyer 638 Sheridan ave where his Sister works Her name is anna Valinchas

Deint a Sapporan

Aug 25. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and went to Greystone Park N J with Josephine Cahn of 964 Fernwood ave as a patient. Papers signed by Dr Lippincott and Dr Clawson and Judge Lehman.

Deint a Sapporan

Aug 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported the Remainder of the day was at the City Hall working with Mr Deardoff on the lists sent in by local grocers who Cashed the Emergency Relief Slips Mr Deardoff received Complaints that Some of the grocers are giving Cash in place of goods which they are intended for.

Deint a Sapporan

Aug 25. 1932

Detective E McGarry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m.

Deist a Saffran

Aug 25. 1932

Detective J Denny attended a regular Court Session held in the District Court rooms at the City Hall in which the Ginger Rash and Mechanic Cases were tried

Deist a Saffran

Aug 25. 1932

Detective J Denny went to 331 East Seventh St and learned from the housekeper there that Mr Paul Breder has moved from the address and is at Present Residing at 257 Main St Penns Grave Pennsylvania.

Deist a Saffran

Aug 25. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Haslachs home at 305 Elizabeth St. to interview her regards a man annoying her but learned that she is spending the day down at Jones Beach and would not be back until a late hour

Deist a Saffran

Aug 25. 1932

Worthless Check $12.96 cents Tepper Bros

Detective J Denny reports Mr Daniel Eisenberg of the Tepper Bros informed him. That a man Passed a worthless Check upon one of his Clerks on Aug 5 1932. The Amount of this Check was $12.96 Cents. and after purchasing a Pair of trousers for $1.27 cents the return received $11.69 cents in Change. The Check was drawn on The First National Bank and Trust Company of New Haven. It was made Payable to W. L. Sanders and was Signed by Mrs J. E. Moore.

Deist a Saffran

Aug 26. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that with Richard Reavis as operator. I checked up on the grocery stores in the East End of the City and got Evidence on two that would give Cash and Goods Contrary to the Contract.

Deist a Sapperan

Aug 26. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray questioned Melvin Gerry who was under arrest at North Plainfield NJ and he admitted to me he had been Stealing Cars and driving them around and then Leaving them.

Deist a Sapperan

Aug 26. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported on Duty at the Desk at Police Headqts from 6 P. m till 11. P. m

Deist a Sapperan

Aug 26. 1932 Detective E mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8. a m to 6 P. m.

Deist a Sapperan

Aug 27. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9. a m and was on duty in the Business Sections of the City till 10. 30 P. m. and found Conditions Quiet.

Deist a Sapperan

Aug 27. 1932 Detective E mc Garry reported for Duty at 8. a m and was on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections. from 8. a. m. to 10 P m

Deist a Sapperan

Aug 27. 1932 Detective J Denny reported for Duty at 3. P m and Covered both the Business and Residential Sections until 2. a m finding conditions quiet

Deist a Sapperan

Aug 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he requested Sergt Nolan to Ratify the Newark Police Department Record Bureau. That aut Department had recovered a Ford Coupe Car registration 1E 49277 NJ That was reported Stolen in Newark. The Record Bureau stated That they would report the matter to the auto Squad in the morning and would Probably be up in the morning to interview the young man Captured with the Car.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 28. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 6 P.m. and was on Desk Duty at Headqts from 6 P.m. to 3 a.m.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 28. 1932 Detective E. McGarry reported off Duty on Sunday Aug 28 as his Day off.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 28. 1932 Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday Aug 28. As his Day off.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 29. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and was Checking up on the plead ordes in Various grocery Stores till 1 P.m then Came on Duty again at 6 P.m and was on Desk duty till 11 P.m at Headqts.

Deint a Saffran

Aug 29. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he was on Duty all Day throughout the Business Section and Covered the Various Banks until their Closing hours. Conditions were Quiet and orderly

Deint a Saffran

Aug 30. 1932 arrest.

Detective J Denny reports he arrested Charles Katz of 124 watchung ave on a warrant charging him with being a disorderly Person by Striking one Alwyn Laive of North Plainfield N J

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 30. 1932

Detective J Denny went along with officer Bray to investigate a report from some neighbors of Mrs Peter Peterson of 722 west 3rd st. Stating that there was a Pail in her back yard near the deviding line of the two yards containing some thing which emitted an oder Similar to decomposed flesh. after uncovering it and Stirring it. around we found Several Good Sized Chopped Bones in it. It looked like decomposed meat. and upon questioning. Mrs Peterson she told us that her daughter had brought a few Pounds of raw meat home for a Small Dog but when her Father said it was not good for him. She placed it outside and forgot about it. we buried the refuse so that there would not be any further oder.

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 30. 1932

Detective J Denny attended a Session of the Juvenile Court. in Elizabeth and was Present when Judge Waldeman Sentenced the following Boys. Joseph Sapone aged 15 years old. and Leonard Sapone 13 years old. and Lewis Cambelatta aged 11 years old to Jamesburg State home Heall So Placed Samuel Cambelatta. and Michael Capua August alberino. and Louis Perina on Probation for one year. John Battone and Benjamin Rigua he gave a Suspended Sentence. These are the boys that gave us considerable trouble throughout the Summer.

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 30. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and was Checking up on grocery Stores with food orders from the City Hall till 2 P.m and then reported for Duty at 6 P.m. and was on Desk duty till 11 P.m at Headqtrs.

Levit a Saffron

Aug 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty aug 31st as his Day off.

Levit a Saffron

Aug 31. 1932

hold up Case Plainfield ave and W. 4th St.

Detective J Denny reports that he went to the Drug Store of Sidney Hallander of 327 Plainfield ave. at 10.30 P.m. in response to a Phone Call that he had been held up. and learned at 10.20 P.m. two men Entered his Store and while one of them pointed a gun at him and ordered him to hand over his Cash. The other tried to open his Cash Register. He Cracked it instead. and they then ordered him to open it himself. He did so. and they took forty Dollars $40.00 in Cash from the drawer They then walked out on the Street and told Hallander not to follow or they would shoot him. He did not call up for three or four minutes later and he Said he thinks he heard a Car Start up and go away. The number one man is described as a dark Complexioned white man or very light Colored Man. 5 ft 7 tall Stout build. 35 years old wearing a Dark Suit. Dark Cap. and Possessed a black revolver. Number two man was about 5 ft 5 tall Slim build. Thin face 25 years old wore dark Clothes and Cap and was about the Same Complexion as the other man. He did not have a gun Hallander claims he never Saw these Men before. No one in the neighborhood remembered Seeing any body leave the Store at that time. Hallanders lives at 320 Madison Ave on the third floor.

Levit a Saffron

Aug 31. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he went along with officers Mansfield & Glynn and W. Brown. to attend an all State pistal match held in Elizabeth N.J.

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 31. 1932

Detective J Denny visited the Morris meat market in westfield in an attempt to apprehend one Victor Velinsky for whom we hold a Warrant and who is Employed at that place. I learned that he left for a Short Vacation on Monday no one seemed to know just where he went to. His father mother and older Brother are also away

Lieut A Saffran

Aug 31. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested John Marshall of 74 Elm Place on a warrant charged with Bastardy.

Lieut A Saffran

Sept 1st 1932

The hold up men were arrested.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Sidney Hallandale of 327 Plainfield ave. That at about 10.25 P.m. yesterday two Colored men came in the Store and asked for a Pack of Cigarettes as he handed the Cigarettes to them they pushed a gun to his Stomach and told him to raise his hands while the one man held the gun. the other man went to the Cash register and took about $46.00 out of it. Hallandale thinks they were west Indians. No 1 man he describes as about 35 years old. 5 ft 7 tall. weighing about 170 lbs dark Clothing. and Dark Cap. No 2 man about 25 years old. 5 ft 5 tall. weighing about 120 lbs Copper Color. Cannot describe the Clothing I inquired around the neighborhood and learned that Bill Kaafer and Sam Klein was across the Street at the time and they did not notice any one in the Store nor did they see any Car around.

Lieut A Saffran

Sept 1. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny reports that he was in Company with County Detective Richard Reilley and arrested John Allers on a Warrant charging him with Embezzlement. Detective Reilley took him to Elizabeth to be arranged before Justice Kelly.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 1. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny arrested Richard Somers of 1213 Grant ave Fan a warrant from the State Police at Paint Pleasant Station. and charging him with Speeding 46 Miles Per hour Through Manasquan. He Posted $25.00 Bond Held for his appearance there on Sept 24th 1932.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 1. 1932

Detective J Denny reported he Covered the Banks in the Business Sections until 9.15 a.m. and found Conditions quiet

Deint a Saffran

Sept 2. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited the A & P. Grocery Store at 416 Watchung Ave. and Learned from the Manager Mr Hammerton that Some one had been tampering with one of the rear windows. I Examined it and found that the Ends of two Vertical Iron Bars had been bent Slightly outward. There was not Space Enough Made however to allow a person to force himself through. There was no Entry made and nothing Stolen. William Sweeney the Caretaker of the Building informed me that at about 2.30 a.m. he heard Some Voices at the rear of the Building. and upon Calling who is there he saw two Young Negroes run away across the rear Yard. He Could not give any good description of them.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 2 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr walter Sherales of 901 West Third St. and he informed me that a week ago last Friday night a Negro man went into his store and after purchasing about Sixty Cents worth of meat tendered him a Check for $18.00. It was made out by Frank W. Smith. Payable to George Brown. And drawn on. The Plainfield Trust Co. This man was about 5 ft 10 tall. Dark Skin. and Medium Build. He said that it was his Pay Check. The Check came back from the Bank marked. No account and all the names involved were Probably fictitious.

worthless Check of $18.00

Lieut a Saffren

Sept 2. 1932

Detective J Denny Served a Summons on Thomas Powell to be in Court on Saturday morning at 9 a m. I also went to Various Stores and Lunch wagons to notify them about taking out the Slot Machines. I found that they have all been removed.

Lieut a Saffren

Sept 2. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty at the Desk in Headqtrs from 8 a.m. till 2.15 P.m. and from 6 P. m to 11 P. m.

Lieut a Saffren

Sept 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to Bonnie Brae Home for Boys. At Millington N.J. to investigate the thift of a Bicycle from Plainfield by Some boys from the home.

Lieut a Saffren

Sept 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the Day he was on Duty in the Business Section of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffren

Sept 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that Mr Fraser brought Fred Fraser age 14 and Stephen Johnson age 13 to Police Headqts with two Bicycles that they Stole from the Y. M. C. A. that afternoon. The Swarder boy admitted Stealing a Bicycle from Plainfield in July
Stolen Bicycle The Bicycle was found on the grounds to day. and was pretty well broken up. Judge Osborne who is in charge of the home said the Bicycle would be repaired and delivered to Headqts The Bicycle was Stolen on July 7th 1932. and is owned by James Hogwhart of 711 West 4th St.

Sept 3. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he Covered the Banks and Business Sections until 9 a m and then went to South Plainfield to get Norman Powell the child of Irina Powell. I brought the child to Police Headqts where he was turned over to his grandfather Thomas Powell.

Detct A Saffran

Sept 3. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated a report from Several Public Service Bus drivers that at about 10.15 P. m. Some Boys were throwing tomatoes at the Buses in the Vicinity of Plainfield ave and west Fourth St. after hiding behind a building for awhile I heard one youngster say that he had been chased by a bus driver for throwing tomatoes and I seized him. His name was Joseph Stanley of 605 west Fourth St. aged 14. He said there were Several other Boys in the Party But I was unable as yet to get their names. Stanley said two men working in Garischs meat market gave them a basket of tomatoes at closing time. and those were the ones that were thrown at the Buses.

Detct A Saffran

Sept 3. 1932

Detective J Denny assisted in taking Statem from Kenneth Garthwaite and Catherine Erick regarding the issuing of fraudulent Check Here and in Irew-ark N J

Deint a Saffran

Sept 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that while on Desh Duty at 3.45 P.m. I received a call fro Muhlenberg Hospital saying that Chester D Venable Colored age 73 who was brought the for injuries sustained in an automobil accident on aug 20.th 1932. has just died. an I notified the Coroner and he gave permissi to have the Body removed to the Morgue I also notified Jm Higgins the Morgue Kee to get the Body.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that he was on Duty at the Desk in Police Headqts from 1 P.m till 6 P.m. and was on Duty in the residental Section of the City till 11 P.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 4. 1932 Detective J Denny was off Duty all Day Sept 4th Sunday as his Day off.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 5. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m. and was on Duty in the Busin Sections and in the Residental Sections of the City in the Police Car and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 5. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested Mary Santo of 1347 Lake St. in westfield on a warrant sworn out by her Parents and charged her with incorigibity. She has been travelling around Considerable with a light Complexioned Colored man. Named William Wiggins I secured a Statement from her Concerning her recent activities with him

Lieut A Sapprau

Sept 6. 1932 Detective J Denny reports That Antonia - Macaluso of 122 South main St South Norwalk Conn. Reported to him that while he was getting gas in his Car. at the Jersey Auto Sales Station 307 west 2nd St. Some one Stole a Black Square Seat Cushion from his Car. I questioned the attendant and Several other people around the Station. but none of them noticed anyone take anything from the Car.

Lieut A Sapprau

Sept 5. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that James Saunders Caretaker of the old Airplane Factory at the Corner of Berckman St & North and reported to him that the boys were Stealing Boards from different Parts of the Building I located Michael Capua of 723 North ave and august Alberino of 736 St Marys ave with Some of the Boards. and I made them Carry them to the Plant.

Lieut A Sapprau

Sept 6. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported he was on duty in the Residential Sections of the City in the Police Car till 2. a m. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut A Sapprau

Sept 6. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m. and investigated a report made by Mrs Chapman of 1302 Malborough ave. That the allen boys who lived at 1302 Whitwynd ave. work on there Motor Boats in the garage at all hours during the night. The noise is so loud it disturbs her rest. I told Mrs Chapman if it occured again to call Police Headqrts and they would notify the officer on Post to order them to Stop.

Detst a Sapporan

Sept 6. 1932

arrested

Check forgery

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Day and Mr Griesmeyer assistant Cashier and teller of the Plainfield National Bank on west Front St. informed me that on Friday September 2nd 1932 an Italian woman came into the Bank with a Check for $7.75 Drawn on the Cranford Trust Co. made Pay to Marie Di Blan. and Signed by Felici Di Fabio She said she had Sold a Store in Cranford and wanted to open a Savings account here in Plainfield. She said she wanted to deposit $5.00 cts in the account and draw $2.75 cts in Cash and a Bank Book Showing a Deposit of $5.00 cts. Before doing this however he called up The Cranford Trust Co. and asked if Felice Di Fabio was good for the amount of the Check. They sent back word that he was and on the Strength of that it was Cashed on Saturday Sept 3rd 1932 She came back again with a Check made out in the same way. But for $4.35 cts Griesmeyer Cashed this one giving her $2.35 cts in Cash and making a $2.00 cts Deposit in the Bank book. on Tuesday Morning The Plainfield National Bank Received word from Cranford that the Checks were a forgery The total amount of the money received from the bank by her was $5.10 cts. I obtained a detailed description of her and sent an alarm over the teletype System.

Detst a Sapporan

Sept 6. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he arrested William Wiggins of 1343 Lake St on a warrant charging him with carnally abusing a minor child. and received a statement from him.

Lieut A Sapperan

Sept 6. 1932

Shoplifting at Several stores in Plainfield

Detective J Denny received a call from Mr Alden Manager of the Kresges Five and Ten Cent Store. That he was detaining a woman there whom he suspected of shoplifting. and upon my arrival there. I found Mrs Nicholas Meyers of 1257 North ave Plainfield aged 72 in the store with several articles which she had taken from four different Stores. She had a Blue cloth womans hat. and a long Piece of Dress goods from Silvers Store and She had a white handkerchief and a can of Pork and beans from Tepper Bros store two pair of Silk Stockings from the Surprise Store. one Pair of childs Socks from the Kiddie Shop. one pair of mens Socks. one fancy pin one bottle of Perioxide one small toy and a Sprig of flowers from Kresges Five and Ten cent Store. I returned the Goods to the owners and reprimanded Mrs Meyers as the Manager would not make a Complaint.

Lieut A Sapperan

Sept 7. 1932

worthless Check

Detective J Denny reports he went to Westfields Police Headqts. and questioned Mrs Vincenza Sansone. who was arrested there for attempting to Pass a worthless check. I learned that she is the same woman. who defranded the Plainfield National Bank of $670.00 on Friday and Saturday of last week Mr Greenmeyer the teller of the Bank. will sign a Complaint against her during the questioning of her We learned that She was accompanied by a Colored man named Leroy Green.

Lieut A Sapperan

Sept 7. 1932

arrest. Detective J Denny and Lieut Saffron arrested William McGuire whom we found riding Illegaly on a B. & O Passenger train.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 7. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he visited different Parts of the City during the day and Evening and found Everything quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 7. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty September 7th as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 8. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.M. and was on Duty in the Business Section and the residental Sections of the City in the Police Car. till 2 a.m. and found Conditions qui

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 8. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he and

arrest. officer Murray arrested John Farley who gives Elizabeth N J as his home at the East Bound Station of the Central Rail Road. and charged with loitering and being Suspicious Person. he has been loitering around the mens toilet for the past few days.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 8. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Angelo Racco

arrest. of Terrill Road on a warrant him with leaving the Scene of an accident on August 11th 1932.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 8. 1932 Detective J Denny also covered the Banks and Business Sections at different times during the day

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 8. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he Visited the home of Mrs Rippard of 1133 Evergreen ave. and learned that during the familys absence for the Past four weeks Some one threw Several Stones through the garage windows and also through a large house window.

Deint a Saffron

Sept 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 3 P.m. and Placed Michael Mango of 320 Richmond St under arrest on a warrant

arrest.

issued by Judge Buckley of Scotch Plains charging Mango with the illegal burning of an automobile.

Deint a Saffron

Sept 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports on Duty in the residental Sections of the City in the Police Car. till 1. a. m. and found Everything quiet

Deint a Saffron

Sept 9. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested John McKenna and John Comerford on East Seventh St during the afternoon. They were going from

arrest.

house to house asking for money Comerford was under the influence of Liquor.

Deint a Saffron

Sept 9. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Deardorff at the City Hall and he asked me to Check over a list of Merchants that he had Compiled

Deint a Saffron

Sept 9. 1932

Detective J Denny Covered the Banks and Business Sections during the morning and found conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

Sept 9. 1932

Fred Kuhn. Suicide by shooting himself in his Room. 249 East Front St.

Detective J Denny reports he went with officer Jonas to the rooming house conducted by James Beattie of 249 East Front St at 305 P.M. to investigate a call from the Landlord that he was unable to arouse or make Entry to the room occupied by Fred Kuhn Proprietor of a Confectionary and Cigar Store at 103 Watching ave. We Entered the room through a windaw leading from the front Porch roof. And found Kuhn dead upon his bed. He had fired one shot from a 32 Calibre nickle plated Hopkins and allen Pistol into his brain Probably Causing instant death. He was fully dressed and was lying Crosswise upon the bed. He left letters to his Son. his Brother in Cranford and to the girl that works for him in the Store. Business Conditions Probably had a lot to do with his Committing the Act although he Stated in one of the letter that no one would Ever Know the reason. When we Entered the room his body was Cold. and he had probably been dead for three or four hours. The Revolver was still Clutched in his hand fully loaded and one shell discharged. Considerable blood Covered the sheet and mattress underneath it. Kuhn was about 47 years old and had two Brothers. and one Son living in Westfield Dr Good Examined him and Pronounced him dead. at 307 P.m. The Corner gave the permission for the removal of the body. and J. A. Higgins took him to his Parlor. I took the gun and bullets to Police Headqts.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 10. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and was on duty in the Business Sections of the City till 11 P.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffran

Sept 10. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he went to South Bound Brook Police Headqts with Chief Glynn and brought back two Boys that were picked up there with a Car Stolen in Plainfield during the afternoon I investigated this case.

Levi A Saffren

Sept 10. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated an alarm of fire sent in at 1.15 P.m. and found that Mrs Edward Henson of 1263 Milton Place had started a wood fire in the Parlor stove for the first time this year and due to a poorly connected pipe the partitions and rooms became filled with Smoke There was no actual damage done.

Levi A Saffren

Sept 10. 1932. Detective J Denny reported he Visited different Sections of the City and Residential Sections during the day and found Conditions quiet and orderly.

Levi A Saffren

Sept 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty in Various Parts of the City all Day and found Conditions quiet.

Levi A Saffren

Sept 11. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he worked until 10.30 P.m. in questioning and taking Statements from Paul Serbenkewitz and Raymond Clark who were arrested in South Bound Brook for Stealing a Car in Plainfield They finally confessed to taking four Cars from Plainfield and Committing hold ups in Somerville & Dunellen and North Plainfield Township.

Levi A Saffren

Sept 12. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry returned from his annual Vacation from aug 29 to Sept 12th 1932

Deint a Saffron

Sept 12. 1932 Detective Seigt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Samuel Rosenbaum at 5.45 P m that same time between 1.30 P.m. and 3. P. m two Suits of Clothes was stolen from the Store one Brown Suit size 40 Valued at $25.00 and one Brown Suit size 37 Valued at $19.50. Both Suits had been sold and left off of a rack to be altered. No one was seen around the Store that they might Suspect.

Deint a Saffron

Sept 12. 1932 Detective Seigt Gray Interviewed Grace Reinman age 21 of 414 New St. at the request of Miss Idell Grace told me she is pregnant and Expects the Baby in February. and Frank England who lived at 18.15 west 6th St is the father of it England is married and has two children and wife living at 18.16 west 6th St arbor Nj mrs England has started divorce proceedings against her husband England was at 414 New St to day. and he admits having intercourse with Grace. and says he will marry her as Soon as he is Divorced

Deint a Saffron

Sept 12. 1932

arrest. Detective J Denny reports that Seigt Nolan officers Bray & Fulton & Wilson & Winzenried and Gleason arrested two Negros. that were sleeping in Judge New Corns houses at 5.45 and 5.47 South 2nd St. There names were James Butts and william Mc Neil. Mc Neil has been in town for about three weeks. and I think it would be a good plan to have him held fifteen Days for investigation

Deint a Saffron

Sept 12. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Detective J Denny assisted in Preparing some typewritten Statements from Raymond Clarke and Paul Semenkewitz, who were arrested and charged with Larceny of four automobile from Plainfield.

Sept 12. 1932

Detective J Denny spent Considerable time checking over a long list of Stores Compiled by Mr Deardoff and pertainning to the Cashing of paad orders by them. I returned the Completed list to Mr Deardoff.

Sept 12. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited the home of Alex Molli a boy about 15 years of age in North Plainfield on Grove St. with Officer Joseph Mc Garry. and we noticed the frames of Seven Bicycles in the Cellar Some of them recently Painted. and all of them dismantled we Could not locate the boys however as they were out riding on Bicycles Some where.

Sept 13. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that I notified the President of the ancient order of Hibernians and also the President of the Italian Rest of owls to take all gambling Machines from there Rooms. They Promised to do it. Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Sept 13. 1932

Detective E McGarry reports for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deint a Sapperon

Sept 13. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he was with officer Bayer and they arrested Elmer Dickerson and Eli White while driving an automobile along East Third St We Charged

arrest Dickerson with driving without a drivers license, and using fictitious Plates and White with permitting an unlicensed driver to operate the Car.

Deint a Sapperon

Sept 13. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he Covered Various Parts of the City and Business Sections from 3 P.m. until 2 a.m. and found Conditions quiet

Deint a Sapperon

Sept 14. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and was on Duty in Various Parts of the City till 10 P.m. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Sapperon

Sept 14. 1932

Detective E McGarry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Deint a Sapperon

Sept 14. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he Secured a Statement from Mrs Eudora Ross and Jasper Mobley regarding the shooting which took Place at Mrs Ross home 415 Plainfield ave and Covered the Business and Residential Sections throughout the day and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Sapperon

Sept 14. 1932

Detective J Denny went to North Plainfield and along with Sergt Dennis investigated a report from one of his officers stating a young boy named Alex Mulley 11 Grove St had seven Bicycle frames in his cellar that might have been stolen upon questioning the boy I learned that he possessed only the frame. Some of which he picked up from the rear of Phil Mechanics Bicycle Shop and others were Either given to him or he found them on the City dumps.

Deint a Soffran

Sept 15. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty Sept 15th as his Day off.

Deint a Soffran

Sept 15. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 Am to 6 P.m.

Deint a Soffran

Sept 15. 1932

Lawrence Held up. on E 5th St

Detective J Denny and officer Bray went to the Store of Frank Lawrence of 443 East Fifth St. in response to a Phone Call at 11. P.m That he had just been held up. upon arriving there. Mr Lawrence told us that the two men are Colored man. and one white man. who held him up had drove away over Richmond St. in a green Sedan. We Started in pursuit and over took this Car at Scotch Plains Center. We Signalled for them to Stop. and when they failed to do so I fired Several Shots at the Car. after one had gone through the rear windows The driver decided to slow down and Stopped we took them into Custody and brought them to Police Headqts. They gave there names as William Palmer of Elizabeth N.J. and Charles Mc arthure of Elizabeth N.J. we found a 38 Caliber nickle Plated gun. in the Car. and $18.90 cents. in Mc Arthure Packet. That money belonged to Lawrence.

Deint a Soffran

Sept 15: 1932

Detective J Denny went to Johnston ave between East Front St and East 2nd St. where James Brown of De lacy ave North Plainfield said that he left a Black Sample Case containing Jars of marmalade alongside of the hedge while he went into a house to make a Sale and upon coming out found it was Stolen I made numerous inquiries about the neighborhood but could not get any trace of it.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 15: 1932

Detective J Denny secured a Statement from Irma Pantell Concerning her Conduct with one George Dunlap.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 15: 1932

Detective J Denny Secured a Statement from Mrs Eudora Rose describing her Shooting at a revolver at her home during a Controversy with Jasper Mobley.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 16. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he secured a Statement from William Palmer and Charles Mc Cathers admitting their Part in two hold ups in Plainfield one at Fifth St near Richmond St. and the other at. Plainfield ave & 4th St. I also learned that they committed hold ups in Roselle and Elizabeth and New ark. another man by the name of John Smith who was with them in New ark. and a George Holbert was with Palmer when the Drug store at Plainfield ave & 4th St was held up. on August 31th 1932 Holbert is now in the County Jail at Elizabeth.

Held up at the Drug Store. Plainfield ave & West 4th St.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 16. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 am to 6 P. M.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 16. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Mr George Balz of 1345 East Front St Plainfield informed him that his Step Daughter Vivian Brown had ran away from home and left a note that she was going to get married. He wanted to know if we could send out an alarm for her I called up the Bergenfield Police Department and asked them to keep a lookout for her as she formerly lived there about Eleven O Clock in the Evening they called up from there and said they had picked her up I notified Mr Balz who went after her immediately.

Lieut A Sapperson

Sept 16. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated a request from the Maplewood Police asking us to look up a family by the name of Lucarilla on George Street to ascertain if not they owned a Ten Marmon Sedan Car License 1E 54244. I learned that none of the family in Plainfield had such a Car. But one of the Sons living in New York may at Present own a Car of that description I informed Maplewood Police Department of Same.

Lieut A Sapperson

Sept 17. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a.m. to 10 P. m.

Lieut A Sapperson

Sept 17. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty Sept 17. as his Day off.

Lieut A Sapperson

Sept 18. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday Sept 18 as his Day off.

Lieut A Sapperson

Sept 18. 1932

Detective J Denny was aff Duty Sunday Sept 18th as his Day aff.

Geint a Saffron

Sept 19. 1932

Detective E McGarry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Geint a Saffron

Sept 19. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Dudley Rawe of 253 East Front St. Reported that he ware his greyish fawn Colored trench Coat to the High School on Friday. and when he went to get it at 3. P.m. it was missing from the locker. It had a Cloth belt. and was Size 36 and had leather buttons with one missing on the left breast.

Geint a Saffron

Sept 19. 1932

Detective J Denny went along with officer Mansfield to Investigate a Call that Some Boys. were breaking windows in an Empty garage. at 1345 Watching ave. I learned that William Krapff of 1334 Watching ave. and his Smaller brother aged 10 years old were the boys that were doing the damage. Three windows were broken in the garage and a Small amount of damage Committed in the house. which is also Vacant. I took the boys before there mothers. and She agreed to Pay for the damage The Title & Mortgage Guaranty Co. owns the house. I Served a Summons to appear in Court on Thursday the 22nd on Simon Meril of 149 Park ave. I visited Various Parts of the City during the day. and found Conditions quiet.

Geint a Saffron

Sept 20. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks & Business sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut A Saffran

Sept 20. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Miss Elsie G. Whitfield of 114 East Sixth St informed me that some one had stolen her dark brown leather Pocketbook from her desk in the Plainfield Library between 5 P.m and 6 P.m. The Pocket Book contained a Pair of glasses plain with a gold clip. a Black onyx locket with Several Small pearls set in a leaf design Valued at $5.00. and a Check made payable to Miss Whitfield The Check was for $5.00. and a Small amount of Change. and a Silver Credit Coin of The Frederick Loeser Co. Brooklyn N.Y.

Pocket Book was Returned

Miss Whitfield left her desk a Couple of times during that hour. and most likely during her absence the Pocketbook was taken There were a Considerable number of Children around her desk about that time. But she could not remember a Single one of them I advised miss Whitfield to Stop Payment on the Check. and I had a note put in the Paper Stating that she lost the Pocket Book

Lieut A Saffran

Sept 20. 1932 arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested Joseph Vitter on a warrant Sworn out by his wife Charging him with non Support.

Lieut A Saffran

Sept 20. 1932

Detective J Denny and officer Mansfield Went and questioned two men Parked in a New York Licensed Car. on Charlotte Road near Belvidere ave. The driver was Camello Stolfi he and the other man with him were Employees of the Vachris Detective agency 1 De Kalb Ave Brooklyn N.Y. and were working on a Private Case in that Vicinity They Showed credentials Proving their Statements and we allowed them to Stay there.

Lieut A Saffran

Sept 21. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Michael Gill Superintendent of the Central apartments at 318 west Seventh St informed me that some one took a 3x6 Hartford Savony rug from the hall-way of the building on the Second floor during the night Mr Gill himself noticed the rug there at 9 P. m. So it was Evidently taken after that hour. The rug was of a red color with a yellow and Black flower design and was Valued at $15.00 I Spent Considerable time looking up the Rug.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 21. 1932

Detective J Denny Spent Considerable time looking up Public Library Books. That were not returned to the Library within the regulation time. other wise conditions were quiet throughout the City.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 21. 1932

Detective J Denny reports the Pocket Book that was Stolen at the Library on yesterday afternoon was found in the Hallway at 200 west Fourth St. By Mr L Levine Only a pair of glasses remained in it. It was the Property of Miss Elsie L. Whitfield.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 21. 1932

Detective E mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 22 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports off Duty Sick from September 18th to 22nd 1932. he did not feel well. and Dr Good was called and he Pronounced it Influenza. he returned for Duty on Sept 22nd

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 22. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 Pm

Levit a Soffron

Sept 22. 1932 arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested Clinton Wilson of Dunellen N J at Police Headqtrs on a warrant charging him with issuing worthless checks

Levit a Soffron

Sept 22. 1932 arrest.

Detective J Denny also arrested William Trubowitz of Brooklyn N Y. on a warrant charging him with Embezzling a large sum of Money from S Schwartz. I also Covered different Parts of the City and Business Sections during the day and Evening and found conditions quiet.

Levit a Soffron

Sept 23. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a.m. and worked all Day from the City Hall Checking up on grocery Stores in the City with Emergency Relief orders.

Levit a Soffron

Sept 23. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P m.

Levit a Soffron

Sept 23. 1932 arrest.

Detective J Denny arrested Joseph Angelone of 1104 West Third St on a warrant from South Plainfield charging him with the Larceny of Some bed Clothing

Levit a Soffron

Sept 23. 1932 arrest

Detective J Denny arrested George Kerovatis on a warrant charging him with issuing two worthless checks.

Levit a Soffron

Sept 23. 1932

Detective J Denny located Joseph Rosalsky a Baker and found his address to be 446 West Fifth St. Plainfield NJ

Detst a Sapprem

Sept 23. 1932

Detective J Denny assisted Detst a Sapprem investigating the Robbery at 730 Park ave. 24 apartment.

Detst a Sapprem

Sept 23. 1932

Mrs Hetfield was injured by a fall. When she slipped on the oil spot on the Sidewalk

Detective J Denny reports that he and appics Hanspiled were sent by Sergt Mc Ginley to the queen City market at 126 East Front street at 12.12 P.m. in response to a Phone call that a woman was injured in a fall on the Sidewalk nearby. We learned that Mrs Elizabeth Hetfield of 222 Front St Dunellen NJ age 70 years old had slipped and fell upon a small spot of oil about 6 x 4 that had accumulated on the sidewalk in the middle of the alley leading into the rear of the Miron Furniture Store. This alley lies between 128 East Front St and 132 East Front St. Several other Stores on the South Side of Front St also use this alley. The oil dropped to the Sidewalk from truchs that use this alley. Mrs George Shelby 27 andover ave. Picked Mrs Hetfield up and Escorted her into the queen City market. She appeared to be considably Shocked and may have a Sprained or fractured wrist. She requested to be taken home and appics Hanspiled and I did so. We left her in care of her niece who lives across the street from her in Dunellen. Mr George Courtney took Several Shovels of sawdust and spread it upon the oil spots. Mrs Hetfield asked that Dr Cooley of Dunellen attend her.

Detst a Sapprem

Sept 24. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m and worked from the City Hall with John Julius on Emergency Relief orders Checking up on Grocery Stores. and the remainder of the day was on duty in the Business Sections of the City.

Levit a Saffran

Sept 24. 1932

Detective E mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 10.30 P. m.

Levit a Saffran

Sept 24. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Detective E. wilson of Mamaroneck westchester County N.Y. came to Plainfield with a warrant for Olives Floyd (Colored) who is Charged by his Department with homicide. Floyd has an aunt Mrs Susan Rogers living at 616 west Fourth St. Plainfield and it was thought. That he might Stop there on his way South. Floyd is about 35 years old 5ft 8 tall. 130 Lbs. Light Complexion. Small Moustach and has a Scar near right temple. one tooth only in middle of upper Jaw and may have a Cut on Either hand near his thumb. Sergt Brown and Detective wilson made inquires in the west End Colored Sections but could not gain any information Detective wilson can be reached on the Phone by Calling Parchment 2000.

Levit a Saffran

Sept 24. 1932

Detective J Denny reports That Mr Haine of 124 west Second St. Complained to me of Boys loitering near the rear of his butcher Shop at that address during the Evening. Some one of them. Broke a window in a apartment at the rear of his Building last night.

Levit a Saffran

Sept 24. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Pangborn Called Police Headqts about 7.45 Pm and said that the door of the Boy Scout Headqts at 121 watchung ave was standing open. He did not Know if it was left that way or if it had been Entered. I Examined it and am sure that no one had forced the lock. Nothing seemed disturbed inside. I notified Mr J. F. Sears of Myrtle ave and he said he would see that the place was locked properly.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at 9 a m and obtained a Statement from Jay Lee age 11 years. and Carter Reid age 32 years old. Both brought to Police Headqts by officer Peterson when he saw Reid taking the girl in to a Barber Shop at 116 Depot Place.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he also obtained a Statement from Leroy Campbell at the Hospital where he was receiving treatment from a Stab wounds when he was attacked by William Robinson. at Bloomfield ave. and West 3rd St to day. Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various Parts of the City.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 25. 1932

Detective J Denny reports off Duty Sunday the 25th as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 25. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reports off Duty Sunday as his Day off Sept 25th 1932

Lieut a Saffron

Sept 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty from the City Hall with operator John Julius Checking up with Emergency Relief orders on the grocery Stores in the City.

Lieut A Saffron

Sept 26. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 am to 6 P. m.

Lieut A Saffron

Sept 26. 1932

Detective J Denny arrested Angelo Bruno of 830 George St. on a warrant Sworn out by Antonco De Marco of 817 North ave. Who Charged him with driving a Car without a drivers Licens and taking his Car without his permission.

arrest.

Lieut A Saffron

Sept 26. 1932

Detective J Denny made a trip to East Orange Police Headqtrs with Louis Black a Complainant to try and Identify a man arrested there as the one who Passed several Checks here in Plainfield Some time ago. Mr Black said that he was the Party who Gave him the Check.

Lieut A Saffron

Sept 26. 1932

Detective J Denny went to 305 Watson ave and Mrs Asunetta Ducarello who runs a Store at that address informed me that a Group of Boys in that Vicinity took Six or Seven Empty Chicken Crates that belonged to her. and burned them up in a field nearby. I learned the boys names to be Joseph Parella and Edward Bengivenga and Andrew Rubbo. and Anthony Fasseo and Mike and Semprevino. and Tony Jinatte These boys all lived Close by the Store. Mrs Ducarello did not want to make any Complaint on the Boys. She did not want to go to Court in Elizabeth to appear at the Juvenile Court.

Lieut A Saffron

Sept 27. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at the City Hall Checking up on the grocery Stores in the City. That Cash Emergency Relief orders.

Quint a Saffron

Sept 27. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 am to 6 P. m.

Quint a Saffron

Sept 27. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he Spent Considable time Visiting Different homes to Check up on borrowed Library Books.

Quint a Saffron

Sept 27. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he Visited different Parts of the City and Business Sections and found Conditions quiet and orderly throughout the day and Evening.

Quint a Saffron

Sept 28. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports off Duty Sept 28th as his Day off.

Quint a Saffron

Sept 28. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 am to 6 pm

Quint a Saffron

Sept 28. 1932 Detective J Denny investigated a report from office Bayer. That he had found the glass broken in a rear window of the Pepper Bros Restaurant on Somerset St. I learned from Mr William Peterson of 420 Central ave the manager that the glass had been broken for Some time The Screen appeared to have been tampered with There was no Evidence to Show however that anyone had been inside the Restaurant. The Small amount of Change was Still in the Cash Register undisturbed

Quint a Saffron

Sept 28. 1932

Detective J Denny and officers Bray and Wingenroid & Erber answered a call from Mr E. L. Bager of Pickwick Lane a new Street in the Sleepy Hollow Section. Stating that he heard Some one prowling around his house. We found all his windows and doors intact. and Searched the surrounding woods but could not Locate anyone

Lieut a Soffron

Sept 29. 1932 arrest

Detective J Denny and officer Regan arrested Frank Revers of 630 West Third St. on a Warrant Charging him with Larceny of a Suit of Clothes

Lieut a Soffron

Sept 29. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports on Duty at the City Hall Checking up the Various Grocery Stores with Emergency Relief Food orders.

Lieut a Soffron

Sept 29. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 am to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Soffron

Sept 29. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Schaeffer of 232 Netherwood ave informed me this Evening that a small Girl. anna Sutton aged 10 years old. of 1372 East Grant St. stated while She was visiting her house today. told her that while She and another girl were going home from School. along East Grant St near her home a man indecently Exposed himself in an upper window of his house. She did not know the name of the man. who lived in that house.

Lieut a Soffron

Sept 29. 1932 arrest

Detective J Denny arrested Walter Dwyer of 127 Church St. on a Warrant charging him with attempting to Rape a Mrs Jennie Boyce of 210 Roosevelt ave at the Residence of Mrs Fred Rybaldt of 58 westervelt ave

Lieut a Soffron

Sept 29. 1932

Detective J Denny and Lieut a Sapperan confiscated three gambling machines which were in use in the confectionery store of Samuel Wilson 1297 West Grand St. and I. issued a Summons to Mr Wilson to appear in Court on Sept 30. 1932 at 9 a m

Lieut a Sapperan

Sept 30. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported for Duty at the City Hall. Checking up grocery stores with Good orders.

Lieut a Sapperan

Sept 30. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m. to 6 P. m

Lieut a Sapperan

Sept 30. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Angelo Sorba of 1139 East 2nd St. informed him. between 12.30 and 1.00 P. m Some one Entered his Barber Shop at the above address. and Stole $1.40 from the Cash Register. It must have been some of the School Children from the Emerson School. as a great many of them pass by this shop. at that time. However no one in the neighborhood seen anyone Enter the front door which was left unlocked. by Sorba. I questioned a number of the Children. but met with no results.

Lieut a Sapperan

Sept 30. 1932 Detective J Denny and officer Bray went to union Police Headqts and brought back to Plainfield Nicholas Savarird and Stanley Wancyk. age 16 and 17 years old. who were caught riddng in a Stolen Ford Roadster. This Car was taken from the used Car lot. of the Plainfield Motor Company. Conditions otherwise were quiet throughout the City.

arrest.

Lieut a Sapperan

Oct 1. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray and Deint a Saffran waited on East 5th St for a Bootlegger to deliver Liquor at 211 East 5th St and waited from 9.46 a.m. till 12.15 P.m. he failed to Show up.

Deint a Saffran

Oct 1. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Carral Gallup of 5-61 W. Grant St stating that some time during the past week some one Stole his white gold Hamilton wrist watch Valued at $52.00 It was evidently Stolen by Some one who Comes to the home as there was no Sign of a break.

Deint a Saffran

Oct 1. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated Mrs George Gade of 633 East 7th St who's husband Complained to the Chamber of Commerce about a man going to the Grayim School hiring boys to Sell Some Magagines on Commision and promising a Prize Since Mr Gade wrote the letter. The man Came and paid the Commision. He did not get the name of the man.

Oct 1. 1932 Deint a Saffran

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a.m. to 10 P. m.

Deint a Saffran

Oct 1. 1932 Detective J Denny went with Deint A Saffran and officers E Glynn & Erber & Stapinski to Raid a Confectionery Store 303 West 2nd Street

Raid. and arrested the Proprietor William Maguiness We Entered the Store with a Search warrant and Confiscated part Pints of whiskey and a quart bottle of gin.

Deint a Saffran

Oct 1. 1932

Raid

Detective J Denny and Dicnt A Saffron and officers E Glynn & Erber & Stefinski Raided a grocery store at 207 Plainfield ave. and arrested the Proprietor Frank Cacco We also Entered this Store with a Search Warrant and Confiscated a quart bottle of anesette and a Pint of gin. and a Pint bottle of whiskey We arrested John Robinson Colored as a Material witness. and Secured a Statement from him that on many previous occasions had bought Liquor there. He had just Entered the Store with a bag of Empty bottles when we arrived. Daniel Vinciguerra Ran back into the Store to inform the Proprietor that we were coming. and we arrested him and Charged him with interfering with an officer We also arrested Michael Pellegrino who was loitering in the Store and Charged him with being a disorderly Person I noticed Frank Cacco writing numbers in a Policy Book and We confiscated the Book and Charged him with its Possession. I visited different Sections of the City and Business Sections throughout the day and found Conditions quiet.

Dicnt A Saffron

Oct 2. 1932

house Entered and Robbed.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Charles Irving (Colored) of 213 Spencer ave. Stating that about 1.45 a m This morning She heard a noise in the house But thought it was the people up Stairs as she lives down Stairs in a two family house. when Mr Irving got up in the morning. he discovered his pants on the floor. and $2.25 Cents taken from his pocket also his Commutation ticket and Postal Badge. and the front door Key was missing. Entrance was made by a rear window. which was unlocked I could not locate any finger prints. I notified the R R Co about the Stolen ticket. The Remainder of the day I was on Duty in Various Parts of the City

Oct 2 1932

Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday Oct 2nd as his Day off.

Dcint a Soffron

Oct 2. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday Oct 2nd as his Day off.

Dcint a Soffron.

Oct 3. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he completed the Checking up with several grocery Stores on the Gaod for short weights and prices also the class of goods sold.

Dcint a Soffron

Oct 3. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Dcint a Soffron

Oct 3. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he went with officer Merrill to 713 East Grant St in response to a Phone Call Stating there was Some trouble there. and upon a rsrival We learned from Mrs M Coleman. who is head of the boarding house at that address that an Elderly Lady Mrs Real of 309 Warren St. Brooklyn N.Y. age 52 years old had been boarding with her for Some time and at noon wanted to go to her sons home in Bayonne when a taxi driver appeared. and said he would charge her Eight Dollars. to take her there. She become Excited and Caused a Commotion there. We quieted her down. and she agreed to take the taxi peacefully

Dcint a Soffron

Oct 3. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mr Nat Bernstein who conducts the Central Lunch at 130 Watching ave informed him that Some one Entered his Store. after 3. a m. and took ten dollars in Change from the Cash Register. The only Sign of a Break was in a Cellar door leading into the Kitchen The Cardboard Covering a broken windaw in this door was removed and a persons arm Could reach in and unlock the bolt. The front

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Oct 3. 1932 Door of the Store was left unlached all night as Bernstenis Son forgot to take the Key with him.

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 3. 1932 Detective J Denny and Lieut a Saffron and officers Fibynn arrested angelo Mazzeo of 409 East Third St. on a warrant charging him with maintaining a disorderly House.

arrest

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was on Duty in Various Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 4. 1932 Detective E mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 4. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that William Johnson the Proprietor of a Confectionery Store at 604 Berckman St informed me that about 10 a m two men stopped at his Store. and while one of them came in to buy Some Cigarettes the other waited out Side. The one Entered the Store said he came from Philadelphia and made Several inquiries about places near by Plainfield. They left Shortly after. and when they again Passed by the Store at 7.30 P. m. Johnson became Suspicious and called up. I Secured a description of the men and Searched the Entire neighborhood. But did not locate them. They were both about 19 years old. 5 ft 7 tall. Medium build Sallow Complexion, and wore fair Clothing.

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 4. 1932 Detective J Denny also Served a Subpoena from Perth Amboy on Steve Parella of Summer Ave to appear in Court there on Monday Oct 10. 1932

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 4. 1932

Detective J Denny also inquired Several places throughout the City and in North - Plainfield Concerning one Fred Conard whom we have arrested and learned that he was boarding for the past few days at a rooming house run by a Mrs Lacey at 111 Watchung Ave I learned from Arthur Jerohman 14 Regent St that Conard has a brother William Conard R.F.D. #2 Smyrna Delaware. I sent a telegram to him asking him to come and get Fred. I Visited different Parts of the City and Business Sections and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 5. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty all Day Wednesday as his Day off.

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 5. 1932

Detective E McGarry reported for Duty at 9 A.M. at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 5. 1932

arrest

Detective J Denny and officer Bray arrested Mrs annie Schiappo of 345 Cottage Place on a warrant charging her with assaulting Mrs mary Bennie of 317½ Cottage Place.

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 5. 1932

Detective J Denny visited Mrs Angelina Delfali of 824 George St. and she informed the that on Monday Evening just as it was getting dusk some boys drove a golf ball through one of her Parlor Front windows the ball remaining in her Parlor. I questioned Several boys who had been seen in the field. But all denied doing the damage

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 5. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he covered Various Parts of the City and Business Sections throughout the day and Evening and found Condition quiet.

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 6. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Jacob Wolf of 915 Madison ave That Either Tuesday or Wednesday night of this week Some one Entered his Store through the transom and Stole two Pairs of riding Boots and two Pairs of riding Breeches all Valued at $34.50. one pair of Boots was marked B. and the other Pair R.E. Mr Wolf Suspects two men. 1 a short man about 5 ft 7 tall age about 22 years old. The other man about 5 ft 10 tall. age about 24 years old. very Blond. They Came in the Store monday and priced the articles that was Stolen. He did not Know Either one of the men

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 6. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went with Detective Sergt Mana of Elizabeth we Checked up on a Car Licence Nr 30372 N J Issued to George Venezia of 703 East 2nd St. We Learned that Venizia has been living in Elizabeth for aleast 3 months. He is Suspected of Stealing Vegetables from grocery Stores in Elizabeth after the farmers Deliver it before the Stores are opened.

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 6. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray was Checking up on William Brittle. Joseph watkins and Stanley Bullock Suspected of Sending in a false Alarm of fire from Richmond St. and East 3rd St. Oct 1st and I was unable to locate any one who Saw them turn in the alarm. and Could not get any thing by questioning them. I also worked from Major Adams office Checking up on a Couple of men.

Lieut a Saffron

Oct 6 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks at 8 a.m. and Business Sections from 5 a.m to 6 P.m.

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 6. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Mr Kislingbury the Manager of the Paramount Theatre and he informed me that about two weeks ago Some one Slashed one of the leather Seats up on the balcony with a Pen Knife and repeated the act again last night It happend in the Section where the Colored people Sit and was undoubtedly done through pure Maliciousness. He will have his Ushers keep a close watch upon this Section

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 6. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Charles Green of 336 Evergreen Ave on a warrant from Somerville N J Charged with the Larceny of a half Cord of wood.

arrest.

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 6. 1932.

Detective J Denny delivered a Summons to Cranford Police Headqtr to be Served on Leroy Green of 340 Centennial Ave Cranford N J. for failing to appear to Sign a Bail Bond

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 6. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Moody of 603 Watchung Ave. Requested me to question a Colored maid by the name of Mrs Annie Allesson. who is in her Employ. And whom she thought was responsible for money disappearing from her Pocketbook in the house Mrs Allesson Stoutly denied any part in the affairs. and I was unable to gain any information of Value from her Miss Moody Said that She did not wish to make any Complaint So I told her it would be best if She dismissed this Girl before She may do further damage. She said She would.

Lieut A Soffron

Oct 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he was Checking up an two Men Suspected of being responsible for Starting a petition that was Sent to Governor Moor. Complaining about the actions of the Emergency Relief Committe. and also went with Detct a Saffron in getting Evidence on Several places Suspected of Selling Liquor.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 7. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6. P m

Detct a Saffron

Oct 7. 1932 arrest Detective J Denny arrested Arthur Schuldham of 1087 Arlington ave on a warrant charging him with having an accident and driving a Car without a drivers License.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 7. 1932 arrest Detective J Denny and officer Bray. arrested Gilbert Carrie of 214 Richmond St. on a warrant charging him with assaulting Melina Damion of 211 Richmond St.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 7. 1932 accident Detective J Denny Secured a Statement from Denis Thorn of 45 Kossuth St. Newark N.J. and from George Byron both of whom were Involved in an accident with a Car driven by Mrs Flora Rogers. of 990 Central ave Plainfield N.J. this afternoon.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 8. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 10 P. m.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 8. 1932

Stolen Chickens

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Abe Dietch of 6-09 west 3rd st. stating that some time during the night his Chicken Coop in the rear yard was broken in. and about 26 Chickens Stolen. The windaw on the East Side of the Coop was broken open and they Evedently just put there hand in and pulled the Chickens out. officer wilson said he was back there at midnight and Everything was OK and I was on Duty in Various parts of the City till 10.30 P.m. and found Everything quiet.

Deist a Soffron

Oct 8. 1932

Rabbits Killed by a dog.

Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Compton of 248 Leland ave. and she informed me that between 10.30 P.m. and wednesday October 5th a dog broke into a rabbit pen in her back yard and Killed 66 Large white Rabbits. Mrs Compton raises these rabbits as a business and those that were Killed weighed between 4 and 6 Lbs and were to be shipped to the Market during the next week. The dog tore a hole in the wire Surrounding the pen and Crawled through He did not Eat any of the Rabbits. But simply Killed Each of them with one or two bites. Mrs Compton Suspects a large Italian Bulldog belonging to Joseph Terrible of 213 Emerson ave I visited different Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet and orderly.

Deist a Soffron

Oct 9. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday Oct 9th as his Day off.

Deist a Soffron

Oct 9. 1932

Detective J Denny reports off Duty Sunday Oct 9th as his Day off.

Deist a Soffron

Oct 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he questioned Georgia Morgan (Colored) age 15 years old. of 219 Plainfield ave. at the Muhlenberg Hospital about her condition. She said she was going with a man named John Silvera Portugese age 23 years old of 5-30 West 8th st. and had intercourse with him. and became pregnant on September 5th 1932 when she was about 3 months gone. She went to Dr Brown at 91 Raymond ave. and he preformed an Illegal operation on her. She also went to Dr Browns on Sept 7th and 9th and 12th and 14th and 16th and he Examined her. on October 5th 1932. She went to the Muhlenberg Hospital under the care of Dr Williams as intern.

Deist a Soffron

Oct 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs John Conway of 616 West 7th st stating some time during the night some one Stole there plants from the front yard. They Evidently were picked up by some one who knew the Value of them as they were pulled up by the roots.

Deist a Soffron

Oct 9. 1932

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray went with Deist Soffron and officers Wilson & Vail. and placed Sarah Pickens. and John Silver of 5-30 West 3rd st under arrest Charged with maintaining a disorderly house.

Deist a Soffron

Oct 10. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Deist a Soffron

Oct 10. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray obtained statements in the abortion case of Georgia Morgan from John Silva Matildia Morgan and Sarah Miller and Georgia Morgan also placed John Silva under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Meza charging Silva with Carnal Abuse on One Georgia Morgan

Lieut A Sapperson

Oct 10. 1932 Detective J Denny visited the Lincoln School and learned from Miss Boulter a fourth grade teacher that some time between Friday at 3.30 P.m. and Monday morning Several Envelopes were found in her desk and about $4.00 in Change was taken. There was no Evidence that the school was broken into Except that on Sunday the School flag was unfurled from its usual resting place in the hallway and spread upon the Stairs inside the building It was noticed to be in its usual place on Saturday afternoon by the Janitor about Seventy children Came to the School on Saturday at 11 a.m. for hot lunches But were Supposed to stay in the basement none of them were seen to go upstairs by the Janitors I will question the boys of that class further.

Lieut A Sapperson

Oct 10. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Wm J Hinkle of the Cedarbrook Rd South Plainfield Complaint that John Singer former lunchwagon Proprietor is delivering Oysters and Clams without a State inspected tag upon them. He Said that he is required to file a report with the board of Health Showing that his oysters and Clams Come from an approved area. And thinks it only fair. That Singer should do likewise In Some instances he and Singer deliver to the Same Stores. and if the oysters are mixed and Some of Singers go bad he might be blamed for it.

Lieut A Sapperson

Oct 11. 1932

watch was returned

Detective Sergt Gray that the Gold watch lost by Mr weintraub from his Store on East 2nd St. was returned by John Rosco of 915 West 3rd St he admitted Stealing it. Mr weintraub would not make a Complaint.

Ernest a Saffron

Oct 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray made an investigation in the story told by Chester Allison age 12 years brought to headqts with a hand Grenade that he said he found on the roof of the Moran Store on East Grant St. I questioned several men from the american Legion and they said they would look it up. and see if they had any missing Remainder of the day was on duty in Various parts of the City.

Ernest a Saffron

Oct 11. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Ernest a Saffron

Oct 11. 1932

Detective J Denny reported that Mrs Truell of the Truell Court informed me that on Monday night or rather Tuesday morning at about 4.00 a.m. her house Keeper Mrs Stillman who sleeps there noticed a bright light outside near the rear of the building on New St Side and called the house man and Chef who immediately started to investigate They found two baskets of waste paper burning against a small shed and two were burned against the side of the house. These papers are placed in these baskets as they accumulate during the day in the house. The Chef and the house Keeper threw water upon the blaze and Extinguished the two blazes Both the side of the shed and the Side of the house were Scorched and burned Black. Mrs Truell has had no trouble with her help and does not suspect any of them. a.m. Gary Gould of 402 Central ave. has had some trouble

Over

Oct 11. 1932 with his wife recently. and he blamed Mrs Stillman the house Keeper for Mrs Grull as causing the trouble. Mrs Grull however did not want to accuse this man in any way although she thought he might hold a grudge against Mrs Stillman.

Lieut A Saffran

Oct 12. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty Oct 12. th as his day off.

Lieut A Saffran

Oct 12. 1932 Detective. E. Mc Garry reported on Duty in the Business Sections from 8. a. m. to 6. P m

Oct 12. 1932

Lieut A Saffran

Detective J Denny reports that Joseph Stein Proprietor of a Grocery Store at 13.27 East Second St. Informed me that he or his wife received a Counterfeit $10 bill from a Customer on last Saturday night in the Store. The number on the bill is B-16539392 A and of Series of 1928. The paper is not of good quality and the picture of Hamilton upon it. and is not good Stein could not recall who he received this bill from as he Changed five or Six that afternoon and Evening.

Lieut A Saffran

Oct 12. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mr H. R. Mayer reported a tan Colored Robe with initials E. H. M. was Stolen from his Car between 7.15 P. m. and 9.15 P. m. His Car was parked on west 2nd St. near Madison Ave. I questioned the Employees of the Central Garage who are in and out of their building near. where the Car was parked but they did not see anyone taking any. articles from the nearby Cars I also questioned Some Colored boys who had been seen passing by. But I could not gain any information.

Lieut A Saffran

Oct 12. 1932

Detective J Denny located Margaret Thickstun as staying with David Clark who lives in Berkley Heights Township Margaret mother is acting as housekeeper for Clark.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 12. 1932 arrest. Detective J Denny arrested Osgood Marcellus of 622 East Third st. on a warrant charging him with Bastardy.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 13. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray placed Maria Tripa of 764 East 2nd St under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Meza on Complaint made by Michael Tripa who charged her with Bigamy.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 13. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr B Landerberg of 114 East 2nd St. That a young man age about 21 years. 5 ft 7 tall. Ruddy Complexion. Red Hair. and wearing glasses came to his Show Room. and purchased a Car giving a Check on the first National Bank in Plainfield for a Thousand Dollars. He Signed the Check Franklin R. Knothe of 1409 Clinton Ave. He was to call later for the Car. but failed to show up. Knothe has no account in the Bank. when I checked out the Clinton ave address. I learned that he worked there last Spring and his parents live at 470 W. Front St but he is not living home. He tried the same stunt at several other Auto Sales Co. in the City He is working with another man. who is dark Complexion. and driving a Coupe Car with natural wood wheels.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 13. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Section from 8 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 13. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he further investigated the case of boys going into the Boise Kunyan Coal Sheds and driving there trucks around. I learned that the group of boys comprised. Eugene Thompson & David Thompson and J W. allesson & Thurman Oak... Hayes Evans William Barnes and other boy by the name of Craig.

Leiut a Saffran

Oct 13. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Leiut Murray of Perth Embay called up on the Phone and inquired for information or a picture Concerning Stanley Karson who was arrested here on Nov 27.th 1925. We have not much information available but I will give him what we have.

Leiut a Saffran

Oct 13. 1932. Detective J Denny Visited Ferdinando Brown of 215 Garfield ave. and he informed me that on Sunday afternoon between 2.30 and 3.0 m some one fired a 22 cal bullet through one of his upper windows. It came from the General direction of Netherwood ave. I interviewed quiet a number of boys in that Section but all denied having a Rifle.

Leiut a Saffran

Oct 14. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Hazel Vaugh 306 arlington ave. for fornication. and also

arrest arrested William Lewis of 1249 Arlington ave on a warrant charging him with Bastardy and also arrested Thomas Lyons on a Warrant Sworn out by his wife charging him with Non Support I also Visited Various Parts of the City and Business Sections during the day. and found Conditions quiet.

Leiut a Saffran

Oct 14. 1932

Held up.

Detective Sergt Gray reports that he went to Elezabeth before the Grand Jury to testify in the Strand Theatre hold up. on May 9th 1932

Lieut a Saffiron

Oct 14. 1932

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray Placed Franklin Knathe of 470 west Front St. under arrest. Charged with issueing worthless checks.

Lieut a Saffiron

Oct 14. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to 849 East Front St with Mrs Thompson who roamed there with her husband and child. The land Lady refused to let her in the room. Because she was in the arrears with the room rent. I persuaded the Land Lady to let the family return. with the promise they would pay the back rent at the rate of a Dollar a week. The Land Lady agreed to it.

Lieut a Saffiron

Oct 15. 1932

Watch was returned by Det Sergt Gray

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Lester Bernstein of the Central Lunch 130 watching Ave. That his wrist watch was stolen from his Store. I questioned alphonse Ventriglia of 1396 George St. who is Employed there and he denied any Knowledge of it. I. Searched his room but could not find it. Later his father brought the watch to me. and I returned it to Mr Berkstein. who will not make any Complaint. The watch was Valued at $49.00.

Oct 16. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated another report from Mrs Cannay of 616 West 7th St. Stating that 3 more Plants was Stolen from the front yard. This is the Second Complaint in a week for the Same thing.

Lieut a Saffiron

Oct 15. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections for 8 a m to 10 P m

Deint a Saffron

Oct 15. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Clement Townsend 19 Dunn St. on a Warrant Charging him with
arrest. Striking his wife.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 15. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Mr Hugh Treacy of 610 Darrow ave. called Headqts at about 8 P.m. and stated to Sergt Brown. That while his son 21 years old was walking along west Seventh St. about 630 P.m. two Colored men accosted
arrest him and demanded money and Cigarettes I visited the Son and he gave me a description of the men. I searched the neighborhood and finally these two Colored men were picked up on Plainfield ave near Grant St. I arrested them and Charged them with Panhandling

Deint a Saffron

Oct 15. 1932 Detective J Denny reports William Cantrell of 206 Roosevelt ave who Conducts a Shoe Shine Stand in a Store near the Corner of Watchung Ave and East 4th St. informed me that between 800 a.m. and 9.30 a m. Same ave Stole $5.00 from
arrest. a drawer in one of his Shoe Stand. He suspected one George Bumpas has no home. of taking the money. I questioned Bumpas and after a while he admitted taking the money but I could find only $1.45 upon him. He Said he Spent the rest of it. I gave the $1.45 back to Cantrell.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 16. 1932 Detective J. Denny was of Duty Sunday Oct 16. as his day off.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 16. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry was off Duty Sunday Oct 16. as his Day off

Dcist a Saffron

Oct 16. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported on Duty in Various Parts of the City all Day and found Conditions quite

Dcist a Saffron

Oct 17. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray went to the Muhlenberg Hospital to obtain a statement from Mrs Warbrick of 26 Chatham St. North Plainfield who was injured by a Car driven by Mr Kline Her Condition was so bad. I could not get a Statement. also saw Miss Maddox a Student Nurse. who was a passenger with Kline and was to Servans. to give a Statement.

Dcist a Saffron

Oct 17. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Roy Puckett the Manager of the Strand Theatre. That Someone tried to gain Entrance to the office by Cutting the Screen from the window. as there is 1/2 inch Iron Bars on the window it would almost be impossible to get in. It looked like the work of boys Mr Puckett thinks it took place between the afternoon and night performance. the Remainder of the day was on duty in Various Parts of the City.

tried to Enter in the Strand Theatre

Dcist a Saffron

Oct 17. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Stephen Mahider of 726 West Front St. and learned from him that between 3 P.m Sunday afternoon. and 7. P.m. Monday Morning. his Garage was broken into and his Trail Blazer red frame bicycle was Carried away. I Visited different Parts of the city. and Business Section throughout the day. and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Dcist a Saffron

Oct 17. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reports on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 18. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports he took a Statement from miss Vera Maddox and Mrs Sarah Warbrick who was injured by a Car driven by Harold Kline

Oct 18. 1932

Lieut A Saffron

Detective Sergt Gray went out with Charles Black of the auto underwriters and Sergt Garden of the State Police looking up Joseph Fuscina who lived at west 8th st and monroe ave. And Learned that he moved to Jersey City about 6 months ago. The Remainder of the day I was on Duty in Variouse Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Oct 18. 1932

Lieut A Saffron

Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P.m.

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 18. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Rosenbaums store in response to a Call from Mr. Henry Rosenbaum and I learned that a Salesman had detected an Italian woman Stealing a dress and putting it underneath her Coat. Mr Rosenbaum and the Salesman stopped her near the door and asked her to pay for the dress. and in the mean while one of the Clerks called Police Headqts. She gave them the three dollars for the dress But they Said they were unable to hold her until I arrived They Said she broke lease from them. and walked quickly East on Front St. I secured a description of the woman. and a Girl accompanying her I Searched all the nearly Streets. But Could not locate them. Mr Rosenbaum described the Woman as between 35 x 40 about 5 ft 2 tall. about 190 Lbs heavy Set ruddy Complexion. and wearing a brown Coat with a light Colored fur Collar. The girl with her was about 18 or 20 years old. 5 ft tall Medium build. Brown hair. wearing a tan Coat.

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 18. 1932

Detective J Denny reports the rest of the day I was on Duty in different Parts of the City Checking warrants in which the defendants have not been apprehended.

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 19. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty as his Day off Oct 19. 1932.

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 19. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m.

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 19. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he went to Elizabeth to appear before the Grand Jury in the Case of the State against De Ray Green. I also Visited New Market Police Headqts and in Company with officer Schlumm and interviewed Several boys in an attempt to locate several wheels Stolen in Plainfield

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 20. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Deitweiler of #14 Madison ave that last night about 9 P. m. a Colored man was prowling around her house. A Miss Privett age about 16 occupies the ground floor with her mother. She Evidently did not pull the shades down when she undressed. The Remainder of the day I was on duty in Various Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 20. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Lieut A Saffron

Oct 20. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he went to the Ideal Kiddie Shoppe at 119 East Front St in answer to a call from officer Conlin. he Stated that he had found the rear door of that Store open at 12.05 a m. I Examined the door and the inside of the store. and as there was no Evidence of a forced Entry. and about ten dollars in Change still in an unlocked Cash register. I was sure that the door was left open accidently. officer Conlin and I locked the door by dropping a large wooden bar into place. I Covered different Parts of the City during the day and Evening. and found Conditions quiet.

Lieut a Saffren

Oct 20. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he also located one Dorothy Mc Kenna about whom an enquiry was received last week She is living at 308 Bergen St.

Lieut a Saffren

Oct 21. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Miss Ida Ratzman age 18 years old of 114 Locust St. Roselle. who is Employed at 1094 A. arlington ave in a Grocery Store. She said about two weeks ago a tall young man Exposed him self to her as she Closed the store at about 10 Pm and last monday night the same thing took place. by the same man. She could not say whether he was black or white he was about 5 ft 9 tall. and wore a Blue Sweater with orange stripes. Gan Pants and no hat on

Lieut a Saffren

Oct 21. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Placed Frank Menditto of 1016 East 2nd St. and a Dilco of 711 W. Front St and Morris Kunzman of 638 west 4th St. and Mary Sussman of 120 West 4th street and Mrs Pollock of 507 west 3rd St under arrest on a warrant Charged with obtaining goods under false pretense.

Lieut a Saffren

Oct 21. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 21. 1932

Detective J Denny went along with officers Mansfield and Schramm we went to the home of Thomas Orne 366 Evona ave. in response to a phone from a residents nearby stating that there was Same shots fired and trouble at the house. I learned from Orne that at about 11.30 P.M. he heard a noise at the rear of his house. and taking a revolver in his hand went out to investigate. He called to a man standing near his Garage and the man walked toward him and struck him on the head. and ran away Orne fired Several shots at the man. But did not hit him. He could not give a very good description of his assailant Except to state that he was a white man. and wore no hat We Searched the neighborhood thoroughly. But could not find any trace of the man.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 21. 1932

Hibernian Club 212 W 4th St was Entered and Robbed.

Detective J Denny went to the Hibernian Club 214 West Fourth St. and learned from Thomas Farrell the President that the Club house had been broken into during the night Four Cartons of Cigarettes. one Box of Philadelphia Cigars. and a Couple of dollars in pennies from a peanut vending machine were Carried away I found the Entrance was gained through a Side window which had been unlocked. From a Small footprint or rather Several of them left. on Some parts of the floor. This act appears to be the work of boys.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 22. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray placed Dick Zaimer of 307 Richmond St. under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Mega. Charged with obtaining goods under false pretense.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 22. 1932

arrest.

Detective Sergt Gray also assisted in the arrest of Daniel Grazier of 315 Plainfield ave and Charles Ravarsky of 647 West 3rd St. Were arrested on a Warrant issued by Judge Demega charged with Selling Liquor.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs O. G. Waring of 1339 Highland ave that Some where between her home and the Park Hotel and Smalleys Butcher Shop. She lost a string of Pearls Containing 132 graduated Valued at $2100.00 made a Search of the Vicinity but could not find them. Remainder of the day I was on Duty in Various Parts of the City and found conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 22. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 10. P. m.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 22. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he went along with Deint Saffron. Detective Sergt Gray and officer Erber to the store 315 Plainfield ave. with a Search warrant and after looking through the place we found five gallons of whiskey in a large glass Containers We placed Frazier under arrest and brought the Liquor to Police Headqts. Later we arrested Charles Ravarsky of 655 west Third Street and raided his Store. We found a gallon jug almost filled with whiskey. and Confiscated it

Deint a Saffron

Oct 22. 1932

Detective J Denny reports Mr Heim Proprietor of the Ivanny Sea Food store at 114 West 2nd St Complainit to me that Someone has been damaging the glass squares set in the sidewalk grating in front of the Store. although he thought it was done intentionally at first he later agreed that it may be caused by boys roller skating on it.

Leiut a Saffran

Oct 23. 1932 Detective J Denny reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Leiut a Saffran

Oct 23. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Leiut a. Saffran

Oct 23 1932

Mrs Buckle 963 W 6th St. Plainfield N J

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by a Citizen that a woman was injured and lying on Dee Place near 7th St. on Arriving there from the Woman about 35 feet North of the Curb Line of 7th St. and about 10 feet West of the East Curb line on Dee Place Her Eye glasses were found on the Cross walk. on the side of Dee Place. Could not find any marks or glass on the Street nor Could locate Any one who had any information about the accident. On arriving at the Hospital. Dr Williams Said She was Seriously injured. and Could not live. after taking her Shoes off. I found the name of Mrs Buckle in the Shoes. I then notified Police Headqts to get in touch with her family at 963 west 6th St.

Leiut a Saffran

Oct 23. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray and Leiut a Saffran in charge We Raided a Store owned by Mrs Eva Salamader at 1350 W. Grant St. and found about one Gallon of Liquor. and Placed Joseph Breccia and Adam Szczynisky under arrest. in the Store. and arrested Mrs Salamader. at new Market.

Leiut a Saffran

Oct 24. 1932

arrest

Detective Sergt Gray placed Margherita Bresanti of 221 Morris St under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Mega Charged with obtaining money under false pretense.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 24. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray made a Check on all Cars and private garages on Dee Place on Both sides of this Street on 2nd St. 3rd St. 4th St. 5th St. 6th St. from Dee Place. to Grant ave. trying to get a line on the car that struck Mrs Buckle. But could not find any thing on any of the cars that looked Suspicious.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 24. 1932

Counterfeit Ten Dollar Bills

Detective E Mc Garry reports that Mr L Ames Secretary & treasurer of the State Trust Co Bank reported that his tellers picked up two Counterfeit ten dollars notes. on the Federal Reserve Bank of N. Y. with Picture of Hamilton on the front and U. S. treasurey on the Back Serial B. 7555-7172 A was brought in by a depositor from Raritan this morning and Serial B 165-39392 A. was brought in Saturday morning by a depositor. Notified all Banks. to be on the lookout for more of these notes.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 24. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Detct a Saffron

Oct 24. 1932

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Detective J Denny investigated a report of officer John Waldron that while in the Vicinity of 729 South 2nd St a man informed him that a Colored man was taken sick on the porch of that address and that died before the ambulance arrived from the Muhlenberg Hospital. I learned that Albert Stewart 39 years old. (Colored) had been living with Alfred Davis and his wife Martha. at 729 South Second St for the past four months. His wife had gone to live in Baltimore about three months ago Stewart had

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been complaining of trouble with his Stomach and Lungs during this time. and had Dr De Grietas and Chappelle attend him at different times. about three weeks ago he had a bad attack and nearly Passed away Dr Chappelle attended him on this occasion all this time he had a very racking tubercular Cough which became very Severe. at times. He felt good all day yesterday. and shortly before 10.30 Pm. he asked. Helen Jackson another roamer at this address to go out and get him a Chicken Sandwich She did so and he and Mrs Janie Davis a Sister in Law of Alfred Davis were left alone in the house shortly after Helen Jackson went out for the Sandwich Stewart told Mrs Davis that he was beginning to feel badly. and asked her to get a Doctor She went out and telephoned to Dr Chappelle. De Grietas and Durrah. But could not reach any of them. She then started back to the house. In the meantime Stewart alone in the house had been seized by an attack of Coughing and came down the stairs to the front porch Knocking at the door of the apartment of Clifford Brown on the first floor as he passed by Brown was lying on a Settee in the front room Partially Undressed. and got up and opened the door. and Stewart just outside the door on the front porch muttered. Help me Clifford I am dying. This was between 10.30 Pm and 10.45 P. m. Brown went out on the porch. with him. and he noticed that he was Bleeding from the mouth and Caught hold of him and Sat him down in a chair. all this time blood was gushing from his mouth and Covered the Entire Porch. as well as most of Browns body. as he began to Slump down in the chair Brown stretched him out on the porch. a White man Standing nearly the house at Thomas Halibrand 211 Grant ave Notified officer John Waldron. who was near the Corner of Grant ave & South Second St. that Something had happened on the Porch. and he went down immediately to investigate. upon Seeing and hearing of Stewart Condition he called headquarters asking. Sergt Brown to Send the

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Oct 24. 1932 ambulance to the address. It arrived in about fifteen minutes and Dr Newman an Interne Pronounced Stewart dead. He said he Suffered an internal hemorrhage. Stewart was gassed in the world war and this probably Caused the present Condition of his lungs and Stomach. Alfred Davis with whom he roomed is Endeavaring to get in touch with his wife Mrs. Elsie Stewart 1616 Harlem ave Baltimore Maryland.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 25. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 6 P m

Deint a Saffron

Oct 25. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports that he was in Court all morning as a witness against the Merchants Charged with receiving money under false Pretense

Deint a Saffron

Oct 25. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray also made a further check on Cars in the West End of the City trying to get a clue on the Car that Struck Mrs Buckle But Could not get any information.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 25. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Miss Hazel Ryan of Road Ending that the Buick Car She reported Stolen in July 1932 was located near Washington Rock and was stripped of Everything. She has Suspicions on a woman who lives near there told her I would See that woman to morrow.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 25. 1932 Detective J Denny and officer Mansfield arrested Frank Burke & Thomas Burke and arrest John Comerford who were found Lying in the Street helpless Drunk and Previously been in a insulting Condition. on Cottage Place near Roosevelt ave.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 25. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr Raymond Berry of 774 East 2nd St informed him that some time between midnight Saturday night and Seven Oclock. Sunday morning some one stole two ten Dollar Bills from his wallet which he had left in his trousers Pocket. I questioned his wife and two of his older Children. But they denied all Knowledge of the money. I went with officer Sonato of the Scotch Plains Police Dept to 1141 South Second St. to try and locate Blanche Schaefer who had left her home in Scotch Plains we found her at this address and informed her that her people wanted her back home. but she said She was Contented where she was. and as she is over twenty one years of age we did not press the request. I spent Considerable time in the business section for the City also.

Dcint a Soffron

Oct 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Continued the investigation of the Buckle Case by Checking up Several more Cars that are owned by people living in the Vicinity where She was found. But Could Not find any incriminating marks on them. Learned from Dr williams who had Charge of the Case at the Muhlenberg Hospital that the only mark on Mrs Buchle was the injury at the Back part of her head and some scratches on her cheek. also injured at the Runyon Funeral home who buried her and they said She had a dark mark on her right temple her right Elbow was bruised. a few small marks on hir left cheek that might have been caused by her falling to the street. and a very bad injury in the back part of her head No other marks was Visible. The Remainder of the day I was on Duty in Variance parts of the City.

Dcint a Soffron

Oct 26. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he went to Eliz. to testify for the State against Georgia Morgan in Judge Waldmans Court.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 26. 1932

Worthless Check

Detective Sergt Gray reports that the Hackensack N J Police Called up at 5.20 P. m. and Said they have a man under arrest for passing a worthless Checks. He is there under the name of Raymond Finlan. He admitted passing a Check on Sears and Roebuck in Plainfield for $20.00 on October 17 th 1932 he signed the Check. L Somerville. I did not Know whether a Complaint had been made or not I told them the Chief would call up in the morning by Phone Hackensack 2-2100.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 26. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 26 1932

Detective J Denny reports he went to the home of Mrs Josephine Gangemi of King St. Raritan township to notify her that her Sister Millie Amarasa aged 16. was held by the New York Police. They wanted her sister notified to come and get her. She Said she did not want to take her to her home. And gave me the address of her brother in the Bronx who should take Care of her. This information was reported back to the New York Police

Deint a Saffron

Oct 26. 1932

Detective J Denny brought a Blue Flyer Wheel to Police Headqts. found by Mr Andrews of 21 albert St. near albert St.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 26. 1932

Detective J Denny and office Bray Investigated a call from Mrs Frank Emmons of 1121 Stilford ave. that a man had stopped at her house and stated that he was sent there by the Western union Telegraph Co. to install a Private wire for the Election Day results as the Emmons family had not made any such arrangement Mrs Emmons was naturally Suspicious. I inquired about the neighborhood and learned that Mr Leo Gaffney of 1137 Stilford ave had made the arrangements with the Western Union for the wire and the installation man must have gotten the wrong house number. We Called the Western union and they Verified the fact that they had sent a man by the name of Lynch to make such a Connection!

Geist a Soffron

Oct 27. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported off Duty all day as his day off.

Geist a Soffron

Oct 27. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Geist a Soffron

Oct 27. 1932 Detective J Denny reported he went to Mayor Henry Adams office at 203 Park ave. in response to a Call from him. Stating Some one had broken in during the night. I found that one of the office doors had been forced open with a Screw driver. and Entrance made in that way. a few drawers in a Cabinet and a desk had been rummaged through but nothing was taken. The intruder was Evidently looking for money only.

office was Entered in the night.

Geist a Soffron

Oct 27 1932

Office Entered by Night.

Detective J Denny reports Mr H. N. Mercready the President of the Mercready Phelps Advertzing Co. with an office in room 2-17 in the Babcock Building called Headqts and Stated that he found that his office door had been priced apen during the night. I Examined the break and found the door had been forced apen with a Screw driver in the same manner as the door in Major Adams office. The same type of tool was used. and without a doubt it was the same person in both Cases A few of the desk drawers in the office had been apened and searched but nothing was taken. Mr Mercready seldom if Ever Keeps any money in the office There were no fingerprints of Value found in Either place.

Deint a Soffran

Oct 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he gave Thomas Muldowney of 322 Madison Ave and a woman who he Called herself his wife Each a Summons to appear at Police Headqts at 330 P. m.

Deint a Soffran

Oct 27. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he questioned a number of boys in the Vicinity of Retherwood Ave and East 2nd St. Concerning the disappearance of tools and flashlights from Parked Cars in that neighborhood. I was not able to Learn whom the Exact perpetators were.

Deint a Soffran

Oct 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray obtained statements from Dr Williams and Fred Haffman an Embalmer at Runyons. in reperance to wounds on the body of Mrs Buchle who was found at Lee Place and west 7th St Oct 23rd 1932 in an unconscious Condition

Deint a Soffran

Oct 28. 1932

Stolen Car.

Detective Sergt Gray brought a Willys Knight Car. to Police Headqtrs from the Evergreen School The Car was reported stolen by the owner Dan. andrew Krug last night

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Burns of 944 west 5th st. stating that boys broke three panes of glass in her Dining room window by throwing stones I questioned several boys in the neighborhood. But did not learn anything.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he went to 5'17 west 4th st. to the Shilo Baptist Church to notify a Colored religious gathering that they could not hold a meeting here.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 28 1932

Detective. E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 Pm

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 28. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he Secured a Statement from Mrs adeline Stein of 322 Madison ave. who had been arrested along with Thomas Muldowney and Charged with Prostitution

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 28. 1932

Detective J Denny along with Lieut a Saffran Detectives Sergt Gray and officers Stapinski & Erben and Bray. We spent the afternoon at the Shilah Baptist Church to preserve order and break up a supposed religious meeting.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 28. 1932

Detective J Denny recovered an Iver Johnson Bicycle that was stolen from Garden Clark of 147 East Fifth St. and brought it to Police Headqtr. Conditions otherwise were quiet throughout the City.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 29. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that he was on duty in the Business Sections of the City till 5 P.m. and then toured the residential Sections till 10.30 P.m.

Levi a Soffron

Oct 29. 1932 Detective Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m to 10 P.m.

Levi a Soffron

Oct 29. 1932 Detective J Denny and officer Merrill arrested Pasquale Anastasio of 320 Garfield Ave on a Warrant Sworn out by his wife. and Charging him with striking and abusing her.

Levi a Soffron

Oct 29. 1932 Detective J Denny and officer Erber answered a Phone Call from Mr Charles Abell of 64 Pearl St. North Plainfield stating that some boys were shooting a rifle in the field back of the Strand Theatre. and that some of the bullets had struck the side of the house. We found Richard Bazenburg of 163 A East 2nd St. aged 15 years. and Howard Scribner R.F.D. #3 Plainfield near by with a 22 Cal rifle in there possession They admitted firing four shots at a target. But were not aware that the bullets had struck the house I sent there names to the Juvenile Court and Charged them with firing arms within the City Limits.

Levi a Soffron

Oct 29. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited Mrs Scott of 400 west Seventh St. and she informed me that several large boys had done Considerable damage to her wire fence. That runs along the Central Ave side of her Property. The Smaller Section of the fence was trampled down. and the higher parts bent Considerably. She did not see anyone near it. But it was Evedently boys Celebrating hallowen night tad Early.

Levi a Soffron

Oct 30. 1932

Returned to owner.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Rose Parenta of 763 East 2nd St That about 6 P.m. while She went next door Same one went in her Kitchen and Stole a yellow gold open face Waltham watch Valued at $65.00.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 30. 1932

Returned Stolen goods by Det Sergt Gray

Detective Sergt Gray also investigated a report made by Mr Frank Putman of 1460 East Front Street. That Same time between 2.15 P.m and 4.30 P.m while he was away Same one Entered his house by the Cellar window which was open with a wire Screen tacked on the outside. The hole in the Screen was small as though a boy went through it. a breast Pin made up of two one Dollar Gold pieces and two one and a half in gold piece with initials J.B.M. - W.M.S. and E.J. on one side about $12.00 in money was also Stolen.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 30. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported the Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various Parts of the City

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 30. 1932

Detective J Denny reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 30. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 31. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 6 P.m

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 31. 1932

arrest for Exposure.

Detective Sergt Gray reported with Lieut a Saffran we placed Norwood Glover age 22 years old of 1088 Arlington ave under arrest at 6th St near New St Charged with indecent Exposure.

Lieut a Saffran

Oct 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray brought Charles Grasso age 14 years old of 1304 East Front St. to Police Headqts. and questioned him on the Frank Putnam robbery at 1460 East Front street Sunday afternoon. He admitted Entering the house and gave Everything back that he stole. I made a juvenile Complaint against him.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 31. 1932

watch was Returned to owner.

Detective Sergt Gray reports The watch lost by Mrs Rose Parenti of 763 East 2nd St was returned to her home while she was out of her house a few minutes. She has Suspicions as a boy in the neighborhood But did not care to go any further with it.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 31. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Pfeffer Principal of the Mayson School that on Friday night Some boys Cut about 1/2 the Spokes out of a bicycle that was on the School grounds.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 31. 1932

Detective J Denny Visited Mr Repley 307 East Fifth St. in response to a Call from him that two men had Sold him Some gold Certificate Bonds. and he thought he had been duped. I Examined numerous letters and Circulars from The New England Electric Company to Mr Repley and as the Case Stands now Repley has Some gold notes Supposed to be worth $100. ea Each. and the two members of the firm of Gardiner Boreon & Gray 345 Madison Ave N.Y. City have his Some hundred. Dollars. I told Repley to go to Mr Hewitt of the Chamber of Commerce. and he would find out for him if the Concerns are reliable and in Existance. If not then he Could have a Complaint made against these two men Charging them with fraud.

Deint a Saffron

Oct 31. 1932

Detective J Denny and officer William L. Peterson located and brought to Police Headqts a Studebaker Sedan Car. Sunday morning in Dunellen this Car License O-46622. was stole we found abandoned Car near the Emerson school after a deligent search. I could not find any finger prints of Value upon the Car.

Geist a Saffran

Oct 31. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mrs James Goode of 636 West Fourth St. informed him that her Daughter Doris Goode aged 15 had not returned home after having visited the Halloween Parade and he was greatly concerned for her safety I inquired at different places for her and finally located a girl friend who positively stated that Doris had gone up to the Shady Rest Country Club. to a party and dance. Mrs Goode said he would go up after her.

Geist a Saffran

November 1st 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Edwood Van Winkle of 24 Sanford ave. That about 10 P.M last night some one threw a stone through the front window of his home doing damage to the Extent of $3.50. I made a further investigation in the Case of Norwood glasses Remainder of the day I was on Duty in Various Parts of the City.

Geist a Saffran

Nov 1. 1932

Detective E McGarry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 A M to 6 P.M

Geist a Saffren

Nov 1. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that he was on Duty in different parts of the City and Business sections through out the day and Evening and found Conditions quiet and orderly.

Quirt a Soffron

Nov 1. 1932 Detective J Denny reports questioned a number of boys living in the Vicinity of Belvidere Ave and Denmark Road. regarding the dislodging of a large Stone on Mr. E. Freiberts property at 609 Belvidere ave last night. but they all Claimed not to Know anything about it.

Quirt a Soffron

Nov 2. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty wednesday as his Day off.

Quirt a Soffron

Nov 2. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Quirt a Soffron

Nov 2. 1932

Detective J Denny and officer Bray made an investigation of a Call from Harry Suydam of the Williams & Suydam Lumber Co. of 684 North ave Page 325-3326 stating that one of his men called him on the Phone at 9.40 P. m. and said that some one had gotten into the office and tampered with the Company Safe. We learned that Wm Rosco one of there Drivers who makes a trip Each night ave to the New York markets. arrived at the office about 9.35 P. m. and noticed the Combination dial lying on the floor. He then noticed that it had been hammered off the Safe and Called Mr Suydam we Could not tell whether or not the Safe had been opened for the Combination had been battered and ruined. No finger Prints were noticeable on or near the Safe. We found that a rear window leading off a slanting roof had been pushed open and an Entrance made in that way. a Side door had been left open.

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Nov 2. 1932 and the intruder Probably left through it as Rosco Entered the front door. I Searched the building well also the yard and the freight yards. but could not find any Suspicious Persons.

Deist a Saffron

Nov 2. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he arrested Max Underhill at Police Headqts on a warrant

arrest Charged with obtaining money under false Pretenses.

Deist a Saffron

Nov 2. 1932 Detective J Denny Served a Summons on Cornelia Reis 317 East Third St to appear in Court in Metuchen at 8 P.m. to answer to a Charge of disorderly Conduct.

Deist a Saffron

Nov 3. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m

Deist a Saffron

Nov 3. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Placed Reba De Vaughn of 43-4 W. 4th St under arrest on a warlant issued

arrest. by Judge De Meza on Complaint Made by Sam Jackson Charging her with Larceny of $33. 00.

Deist a Saffron

Nov 3. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Mc Garland of 304 West Front St. that Children was tampering with her mail Box in the Hall. The glass in the small door was pushed out and one letter opened but nothing stolen.

Deist a Saffron

Nov 3. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day was on Duty in Various parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Deist a Saffron

Nov 3. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Lawnsburg of 1208 Grant ave informed me that about 12 m noon yesterday a Peddler Came to her house and wanted to sell her a Couple of Smoked hams She decided to buy one from him for $3.20 Cents and tendered him a $5.00 Bill. He Said he did not have the right Change. and She laid the bill on the Kitchen table while she went into another room to get her pocketbook. She Paid him the Exact Change from her pocketbook. But neglected to Pick up the $5.00 bill from the table. a few minutes after he went out she Started to look for the money. But, Could not find it She Searched all over the Kitchen and after failing to locate it. She is sure the Peddler Picked it up. She went out to look for him but Could not find him nor his truck. He was around about four months ago. and Said he Came from Irvington. Mrs Lawnsburg does not know his name but describes him as about 62 years old. Stocky Build. 5-ft 9 tall. dark hair Brown Eges. and wearing a black leather jacket. She will Call us when he Comes in the Neighborhood again.

Nov 3. 1932 Dent a Saffran

Detective J Denny reports Mrs Mc Conney of 708 Russell Place. informed me that She Placed an ad in the Courier News for a maid to Sleep in her home. and tonight at about 7.45 P.m. a man drove up to her house in a Large Sedan Car. and wanted to know if he Could obtain the position for his mother who lives in Metuchen. He walked right into her front room without any invitation. But did not stay very long as another Elderly lady Mrs Sims was Visiting her and was Setting in the room. He wanted to bring his mother there tonight. But Mrs Mc Conney told him to wait until tomorrow. He left and as a Car. appeared to be his pulled up again in about ten minutes and Stopped across the Street for about five minutes. It finally left and disappeared over Berckman St. The man who Called at the house was about 28 years old. 5-ft 7 tall. 145 Lbs and

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Nov 3 1932 Dark Complexion. sideboards. well dressed with a dark blue overcoat and a grey soft hat. he did appear to be an american born Italian. Mrs Mc Conney was afraid he might come back again and force his way into the house. I Searched the neighborhood well and also informed officer Cattle an that post to keep a lookout for such a man.

Deint a Saffron

Nov 3. 1932 Detective J Denny spent the morning with Chief Runyon of Springfield. questioning suspects or Rather Relatives of suspects in a robbery case in his Township.

Deint a Saffron

Nov 4. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he Continued the investigating in the Norwood glamer Case and questioned Several women On Arlington ave They Recognized the Picture as the man they had seen acting in a Suspicious manner on Arlington ave. But would not say he Exposed himself.

Deint a Saffron

Nov 4. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day was on duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Saffron

Nov 4. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections. from 8 a m to 6 P m

Deint a Saffron

Nov 4. 1932 Detective J Denny arrested Thelma Mann on a warrant Sworn out by Chief Fellows of

arrest Middlesex Borough and Charged her with the Larceny of a Car. I Secured a Statement from her Concerning her part in the Case.

Deint a Saffron

Nov 4 1932 Detective J Denny reports Mr Bunker of 129 Grove St. north Plainfield informed me that he lost a Ladies Yellow gold Small watch Swiss movement on October 29. 1932 between 4.20 P.m and 6 P.m near the old baby Camp on Leland ave. This watch had a moon on the back with four Diamond chips in it and a Diamond in Center of star. He thought it may be Pawned by Some one.

Detct A Saffron

Nov 4. 1932 Detective J Denny also reports he Visited different Parts of the City during the day and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Detct A Saffron

Nov 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray placed Jacob Feinbein of 109 East 5th St. under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Mega. on Complaint made by Joseph Gallo who Charged him with issuing a worthless check.

Detct A Saffron

Nov 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Dr Paul Hurrill of Batts Wood Road Norwalk Conn. That property he owns at 960 west 7th St. had been Vacant four years and had been Entered and Electric fixtures was Stolen. Detective Sergt Gray placed the house on the Vacant house Beat at Headqts.

Detct A Saffron

Nov 5. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports on Duty in the Business Sections of the City and also at the academy from 7 P.m till 11 P.m.

Detct A Saffron

Nov 5. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 10 P. m

Detct A Saffron

Nov 5: 1932 Detective J Denny reports Mr Daugherty manager of the Sears Roebuck store in Plainfield informed me that a shipping clerk Employed at the store had been holding out C O D payments for the Past two weeks and the amount had reached a total of about $2.50 cts. He did not show up for work during the last two days and sent word down indirectly that he was sick a messenger sent to the home learned that he was not at home. The companys method of accounting shows that the money went no farther than he. His name is Arthur Abramson and he lives with his Parents at 4 Mountain ave North Plainfield He is 27 years old. I informed Mr Daugherty that it would be wise to swear out a warrant for him on Monday morning

Lieut a Saffren

Nov 5: 1932 Detective J Denny reports he visited Mr Hugh Tracey at 610 Dakota ave in response to a Call from him and he complained very Strongly of the high rate of Speed at which automobiles are traveling along west 7th St. He Says he saw some very close calls along there which might have resulted in Serious accidents and thinks that the motorcycle Policeman neglect this thoroughfare

Lieut a Saffren

Nov 5. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he Secured a complete statements from Harry Hofmeister & John Sweeny and Dan Fellow Concerning their Part in the stealing of Daniel McCormicks automobile on Thursday morning.

Lieut a Saffren

Nov 6. 1932 Detective J Denny was off Duty Sunday all day as his day off.

Lieut a Saffren

Nov 6. 1932

$17.00 taken from the Y.M.C.A.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Mack Baynk of the Y.M.C.A. that while he was taking a Shower at about 8.45 this morning. he left his Bath Robe in the Mens room. while he went to the Shower. When he returned to his room. he found the door open and his Key from his bath rob was missing a wallet containing $17.00 and his drivers Licens was gone. George Egan of 82 Brook ave North Plainfield was seen leaving the building just before 9. O'clock and left word at Egans home to be at North Plainfield Police Headqts at 2. P.m but he failed to Show up.

Deint A Saffron

Nov 6. 1932

Stolen watch

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Solaman Brinkley of 305 Berckman St that while he was at work at Snyders Greenhouse some one Stole his Elgin wrist watch Valued at $55.00. Some Boys from arlington ave was seen around the place.

Deint A Saffron

Nov 6. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Deint A Saffron

Nov 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report from the Albert Leon Furniture Co 230 W. Front St That some time over the week End the store was Entered. and a Philco Radio Valued at $50.00 and a Spray gun Valued at $75.00 was Stolen. The Entry was Evidently made by a Key as I made a thorough Search of the Building and Could not find a break. The manager changed the lock on the doors.

Deint A Saffron

Nov 7. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day she was on duty in Various parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Deint A Saffron

Nov 7. 1932 — Detective J Denny reports Mrs Joseph Sattels of 905 watching abv. informed him that she has two roamers in her house a Mr Eakin and a Mr Fitzhugh and during the day on Saturday November 5th some one took a Hamilton wrist watch from the room of Mr Eakin I interviewed Mr Eakin and he is Positive that he left it on his dresser. Saturday morning at 9 O'clock as far as I could learn there was no one Else in the house besides Fitzhugh and the members of the family The watch was a gold filled Hamilton wrist watch with a leather band. and Valued at $65: 00 The watch number was 4215140 and the Case # was 05-90321.B.

stolen watch

Quiet a Saffron

Nov 7. 1932 — Detective J Denny reports during the day he visited Various Parts of the City and Business sections and found Conditions quiet.

Quiet a Saffron

Nov 7. 1932 — Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m

Quiet a Saffron

Nov 8. 1932 — Detective Sergt Gray reported on Duty in Various Parts of the City Checking up on the Polling places and found Conditions quit

Quiet a Saffron

Nov 8. 1932 — Detective E Mc Garry reported on duty at the first Dist. of the first ward Polling place from 8 a m to 8 P. m.

Quiet a Saffron

Nov 8. 1932 — Detective J Denny reports that he Covered different Parts of the City during the day and Evening. I Visited the Vicinity of the Various Election Polls. and helped to preserve order

Quiet a Saffron

Nov 9. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reported off duty Wednesday as his Day off.

Deint a Saffran

Nov 9. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m

Deint a Saffran

Nov 9. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that Miss Elezabeth C Flanagan of 932 West Sixth St informed him that on Election day. She left home at about 9.20 a m. and went to the Polls at the Irving School to cast her ballot. She left the Polls at 9.35 a m and then proceded to Pepper Bros store where she is Employed. During some Stage of the trip she lost or Mislaid her pocket book. She thinks but is not sure that she left it in the polling booth. It was brown Suede band bag 5 x 8 in Size and Contained $27.00 in money a pair of black rosary beads and some small medals.

Deint a Saffran

Nov 9. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he Visited the Plainfield Storage Warehouse in response to a Phone Call from there and remained on duty there while the Paymaster of the branch of the New Jersey Telephone Co. destributed wages to about fifty men who had been delivering telephone books around the City. I Escorted a Considerable quantity of money Carried by two Employees of the First National Bank to their Branch Bank on Park ave.

Deint a Saffran

Nov 10. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m

Deint a Saffran

Nov 10. 1932

Detective E. Mc Garry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 am to 6 Pm

Lieut a Saffron

Nov 10. 1933 Detective Sergt Gray made a further investigation in the y. m. C. a. Robbery that took place Sunday a. m. in the room of May Bayuk questioned George Egan. who was seen there about the time the money was missing and he denied any knowledge of it. But Egan in a line up and Bayuk. Identified him as the man he saw in the Wash room. where his Key was Stolen from. Bayuk made a Complaint. and I placed Egan under arrest.

arrest.

Lieut a Saffron

Nov 10 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated an Accident that took Place at monroe ave. and 3rd Street where Mrs Jean Wallace of 1020 West 3rd St was injured. As She Crossed the Street. Her Condition was not so Serious so the Doctor advised me to wait till to morrow to take a Statement.

accident

Lieut a Saffron

Nov 10. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray also investigated an accident that took place at west 7th St. and Parkave. Mrs Sallie Wiblewski of Main St. S. P. was injured. She was Examined by Dr Barow and told to go to the hospital but refused.

accident

Lieut a Saffron

Nov 10. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he was on Duty in different parts of the city throughout the day and Evening and finding Conditions quit

Lieut a Saffron

Nov 10. 1932

Detective J Denny visited Mr Jacobs the Principal at the Evergreen School and he informed me that on the night of October 29. 1932 some boys broke Eleven panes of glass in one of the Class rooms. By throwing stones at them. We questioned a number of boys living nearby and others going to the School. But were unable to locate the Guilty ones.

Deist a Soffron

Nov 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray went to Graystone Park NJ with a patient Mrs Dorothy Seitz of 1009 East 3rd St. The Papers were signed by Drs Stiffin and Platt. and also by Judge Zyness.

Deist a Soffron

Nov 11. 1932 accident

Detective Sergt Gray obtained a Statement from Mrs. Jeannie Wallace who was injured by an automobile at monroe ave and West 3rd St November 10th 1932.

Deist a Soffron

Nov 11. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City. and found Conditions quiet.

Deist a Soffron

Nov 11. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business from 9 a m to 6 P. m

Deist a Soffron

Nov 11. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he notified Lloyd Jones Burley Patella. Joseph Brown and Clarence Scruggs to be in Court at 9 a m on Saturday as witnesses in the Case of Lee Adams against Joseph Green

Deist a Soffron

Nov 12. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Ball of 715 Belvidere ave. That some time during the past week some one stole a Brass Ship Lamp from his front yard The Lamp was recovered from a Sunken Ship by a friend of Mr Ball. and he Values it very highly I made a Canvas of the Second hand Stores. But Could not Locate it.

Detst a Sapprau

Nov 12. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Regan of the Ford agency that last wednesday night some one Entered the shops and stole a Brake Shoe grinder Machine Valued at $36.00. Mr Regan Suspects a man and will give me more information Monday

Detst a Sapprau

Nov 12. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Antone De Nardo of 312 East 7th St that they Sold Liquor at 310 East 7th Street The only Evidence he had was that he was invited in the house and given a glass of Punch He said it Contained a large amount of Liquor

Detst a Sapprau

Nov 12. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he and officer Erber went to the Juvenile Court in Elizabeth to appear against two boys. Whome we found discharging a rifle within the City Limits on October 29. 1932. I also was on Duty in different Parts of the City during the rest of the day and Evening.

Detst a Sapprau

Nov 12. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 10 P. m.

Detst a Sapprau

Nov 13. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports that he was on duty in Various parts of the City all day and found Conditions quiet.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 13. 1932 Detective J Denny reports off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 13. 1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reports off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 14. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray reports he placed Erwin La Rue of 967 west 5th under arrest at the High School on a Charge of Malicious Mischief also obtained a Statement from him admitting his guilt.

arrest.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 14. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray notified Marie Studiant age 16 years old. She is Stopping at 5:30 W. 3rd St to return to her home. at 5:54 west 5th Street notified at the request of her father.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 14. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the Day was on Duty in Various Parts of the City. and was also on duty at Grant ave. and west 8th St from 8 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 14. 1932 Detectives E. Mc Garry was on duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P. m

Levit a Saffron

Nov 14. 1932

Detective J Denny issued a Summons to appear in Court on November 18. 1932. to Walter Pfister of 1450 west Front St. for driving his truck without a registration. and not having a drivers Licence in his possession.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 14 1932 Detective J Denny reports he left a warrant for J S Johnson of 144 Walnut St. Arbor with the New Market Police to be served.

Geist a Sapproon

Nov 14. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he went along with several other officers to the home of Percy Stewart on west 8th St. in response to a Phone call from him. That he thought some one was trying to or did break into his home. a long Ladder left up against the side of the house by Some Painters appeared Suspicious. But we thoroughly Searched his house and grounds and Could not find any trace of an intruder.

Geist a Sapproon

Nov 15. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports he was on Duty at Grant Ave. and west 8th St. from 8 a.m. till 9 30 a.m watching for automobile that were Speeding there at that time.

Geist a Sapproon

Nov 15. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray Continued the investigation in the hit and Run driver Case Where Mrs Buckl of 963 west 6th St was killed at Lee Place and West 7th St. on Oct 16th

Geist a Sapproon

Nov 15. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray also followed up information that he Recieved in reperance to the windows that was broken at the home of Mrs Burns 944 West 5th St. on Oct 27th 1932.

Geist a Sapproon

Nov 15. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray also reports the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City.

Geist a Sapproon

Nov 15. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6 P. m.

Deint a Sapprau

Nov 15. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that officer Baker and himself found a young woman. By the name of Dorothy Lavey by of 633 Rockview ave Pasting yellow stickers on the front and rear windows of Parked automobiles in the Business Sections. These stickers were advertising a play to be given. By the North Plainfield High School in the near future officer Baker gave her a Summons to appear in Court on Thursday.

Deint a Sapprau

Nov 15. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he went along with Mr Alden the manager of the Kresges Five and Ten Cent store. I took two small girls. Pauline Merola of 322 Garfield ave. and aged 10 years old. and mary Carella of 337 Johnson Ave. Aged 11. years old. to their Parents after Mr Alden found them in possession of about five Dollars worth of goods. which they had shoplifted in his Store.

Deint a Sapprau

Nov 15. 1932 Detective J Denny reports Conditions otherwise were quiet throughout the City.

Deint a Sapprau

Nov 16. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports he went to the Juvenile Court in Elizabeth to testify in the Charles Frusco Case. The remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City.

Deint a Sapprau

Nov 16. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported of Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m. to 6. P. m.

Deint a Sapprau

Nov 16. 1932

arrest.

Detective J Denny reports that he arrested Frank Bacon James R moffett and Charles Horne Salesmen for The Rice Bread Company of Newark N.J. and Charged them with Peddling without a Licinse.

Deint a Saffron

Nov 16. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mr R.H. Heenan of 447 East Fifth st informed him that some one was damaging the Property surrounding a Vacant house at 270 Garfield ave. And he asked to have a Policeman look after it upon his tour of Duty.

Deint a Saffron

Nov 16. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he noticed three Boys walking along west 2nd st. near Exchange alley at 10 P.m. and upon Searching and questioning them I found that they had opened a door in a Show Case in front of Silvers Ten Cent store and taken out six large bars of Chocolate Candy They admitted have taken Candy from there on four Previous accasions. There names were James and Joseph ward of 511 South Second st and Frank Husko of 205 Liberty St. aged 11. years. 9. years and 11. years old. Respectively. I will Send there names to the Juvenile Court.

Deint a Saffron

Nov 17. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Walter Balsterle of 119 Oxford Place Manager of the Standard Oil Station at Rock ave and West Grant st. That to night at 7.05 P.m just as he Closed. A man about 5 ft 11 tall wore a Cap and dark suit. told him to stick his hands up. As Balsterle turned the man struck him on his left Shoulder with a Club and ran toward the Railroad. I drove all around that Section but Could not Locate the man

Deint a Saffron

Nov 17. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray also investigated a report made by Miss Mabel Van Basherck of 225 Park ave that while she was giving a Recital at the Masonic Hall this afternoon. She placed a yellow gold Bag set with diamonds and Valued at $1000. on the table and when she went to get it. It was gone while I questioned the help in the Kitchen Andrew Rennie assistant janitor came to the Kitchen with the bag in his hand. He said he found it hanging on the back of the door in the woman's wash room Miss Van Basherck said she is sure she was not in there. The remainder of the day I was on duty in Various Parts of the City.

Gold Bag set with diamonds was returned

Deist a Soffron

Nov 17. 1932

Detective J Denny and Deist a Soffron arrested Theodore Jackson of East Orange on a warrant charged with non support.

arrest

Deist a Soffron

Nov 17. 1932

Detective J Denny and officer Wiggins answered a Phone Call. Stating that a man was lying on the floor of a garage at 223 Pond Place upon our arrival there we found Theodore Moody who lives at that address on the floor. We Carried him into the house after Examining him. and he came to his senses.

Deist a Soffron

Nov 17. 1932

Detective J Denny reports he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet and orderly.

Deist a Soffron

Nov 17. 1932

Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a.m. to 6. P. m.

Deist a Soffron

Nov-18-1932 Detective Sergt Gray continued the investigation in the hit and run case where Mrs Buchle was killed. By questioning Elmer Blimm of 542 west 4th St. and Mrs Bushnell of 60 myrtle ave Both Parties arrived at the scene of the accident after the Police arrived.

Geist a Saffran

Nov-18-1932 Detective Sergt Gray also issued a Summons to Bert Snyder and Charles Kelley and Edward Kyle. Carl Gobin and Austin Sipker for breaking windows in Mrs Burns house at 944 West 6th St on Oct 27-1932.

Geist a Saffran

Nov-18-1932 Detective Sergt Gray went from Police Headqts to 682 Stelle ave. to notify Mrs Frank to leave the house as her Son-in-Law did not want her there.

Geist a Saffran

Nov-18-1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day he was on duty in Various Parts of the City.

Geist a Saffran

Nov-18-1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 am to 6 Pm

Geist a Saffran

Nov 18 1932 Detective J. Denny reports that John Kiernan of New York City came to Headqts and requested information Concerning the driver of a truck X-46639 which struck his Car and fled from the scene of the accident. I learned that Paul Lucarello of 1312 George St. 21 years old was driving I did not see Paul however but his father Pasquale. said that he would personaly visit Kiernan in New York. and arrange for the repair of the Car.

Geist a Saffran

Nov 18. 1932

Detective J Denny reports at the request of Mr Hewitt of the Chamber of Commerce I located Fred Garcia of The New Jersey Photo Co at 211 Roosevelt ave. and transmitted Mr Hewitt request to Garcia Concerning Some Pictures.

Dennis A Sapphran

Nov 18. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that at 10.30 P.m I went to the Queen City Hotel 149 Park ave in response to a call from Meyer Katz the Proprietor stating that a woman had screamed upon the Second floor. and that there might be some trouble there as I Entered the Lobby I found a man Pale and Excited sitting upon a settee with a Doctors outfit beside him. I asked him his name and he told me it was Dr James L Lanejoy of 224 Somerset St Bound Brook N J. He said that he was called at 7.00 P.m to come to the Queen City Hotel to make a call on a woman giving the name of Miss Mary Pearce. He arrived at 9.15 P.m. and Proceeded to her room. He recognized her as a former servant girl whom he Employed while in Bound Brook. He said she had left his Employ a year and a half ago. and he had not seen her Since. she talked a while with him about his home conditions. and then told him she needed $2.00 badly. He said he would not give her any money. And started to leave. She caught hold of his overcoat. and attempted to hold him. He struggled to get away and her hold became unfastened. Allowing her to fall down about three steps to the Second Landing. Her nose was Scratched but she was otherwise uninjured. I interviewed the girl and found Her to be in a highly nervous State. and also that she had been drinking she denied asking the Doctor for any money. and refused to make any Complaint against him and said that she wanted to go to her place of Employment in Scarsdale N.Y. She had a return ticket to there. I brought both the Doctor and the girl to Headqts. Over.

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Nov 18. 1932 and had the girl Examined by Dr Saad and he said that she was physically and mentally Capable so we allowed her to go to New York on the 2:42 a m train. The Doctor would not make any Complaint against her neither would the hotel manager. Her true name was Eva Wilder and her parents live in Williamstown Vermont. She is now 24 years old.

Leint a Saffran

Nov 19. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray tried to locate Mr R. Mallen who is supposed to be a moving picture operator in one of the Plainfield Theatres I made a Canvas of all of them and he is not known Informations wanted by Mrs Schuller of 660 Court St. Elizabeth N J.

Leint a Saffran

Nov 19. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mrs Atterson of 1333 Evergreen ave that some time between 2 and 4 a m to day some one broke the dining room window in her home and threw a Thermas bottle containing some fluid with a very offensive odor through the opening. It landed on the table and some went on the wall. She said they have no Enemies to her Knowledge and nor could she give any information as to why any one should do it.

Leint a Saffran

Nov 19. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray tried to Locate Frank Smith who is wanted by the Madison Police and was supposed to be at an Italian Wedding to night. I could was locate him in the City

Leint a Saffran

Nov 19. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections of the City from 8. a. m. to 10. P. m.

Leint a Saffran

Nov 19. 1932

Detective J Denny went along with Sergt Brown and appicer Erbe and Jonas. and we Raided a Card game in the Rear of an Apartment building at West 8th St. We found George Melius the janitor in Charge and the following men Seated around a large table with money and Cards upon it. Daniel Tario. Harry Martin Thomas F. Moura. Barney Sachar. Normon Smalley Samuel Miller. Joseph Emstein. Sedney Augenblick and Frank Vieni. Anthony Emanuele. We Seized the Cards. and money. and brought them to Police Headqts along with the Prisoners.

Lieut A Soffran

Nov 19. 1932 Detective J Denny went to the Juvenile Court in Elizabeth along with appicer Erbe to appear against two boys whom we found Shooting a rifle within the City Limits.

Lieut A Soffran

Nov 19. 1932 Detective J Denny answer to a Phone Call from Mr. R. Huntsman of 826 East Front St. I Examined a Parked Car which had been Standing for Several hours on East Front St. near his driveway. The Car was not reported Stolen and Carried a registration 2-15-46328. There may have been Something mechanically wrong with the Car. and the driver was forced to Stop It was removed at about 2. a. m.

Lieut A Soffran

Nov 20. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported he Served a Summons on Jerome Morris at 421 Park ave Charging him with operating a Pool Room and Not having a license. Two Pool tables and two Bowling alleys were in use. There was about 25 men in the Room. and Jerome Morris told me he was incharge.

Lieut A Soffran

Nov 20. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports the remainder of the day he was on duty in Various Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 20. 1932 Detective J Denny reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 20. 1932 Detective E. mc Garry reported off Duty Sunday as his Day off.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 21. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Mr Pfeiffe the Principal of the Mayson school. That Some time over the week End Some one Entered the office. and prised open the Desk drawer and stole about $3. oo in Cash Entrance was Evidently made while the janitor was busy in other parts of the building as there was no sign of a break on the outside.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 21. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by Doris Smolensky of 206 Netherwood ave. That Some time during the Past week Some one Entered a Chicken Coop in the rear of his house. and stole about 20 Pieces of New Lumber. The remainder of the day. I. Continued the investigated the Otterson Case at 1333 Evergreen ave.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 21. 1932

arrest. Detective J Denny reports he arrested Walter Ford of 327 Beckman St. on a warrant Sworn out by his wife. and Charging him with Iron support.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 21. 1932 Detective J Denny Visited different parts of the City. and business sections throughout the day and Evening and found Condition quiet.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 21. 1932

Detectives E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Deint A Saffran

Nov 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report that Emanuel Berliner of 209 Lee Place lost 4 ten dollar Bills after he Entered the Muhlenberg Hospital for treatment. on his Entrance $4.80 in money and other articles of Value was taken from him and turned over to his son-in-Law while he was given a bath. a handerchief was noticed tied around his left Leg when they tried to remove it he protested so they did not take it off. when Dr Orton Examined him he saw the Handkerchief and removed it and gave it to Mr Berliner The next day Berliner asked for it. and said it Contained 4 $10.00 Bills. A thorough Search was made but it Could not be found. Dr Orton said he did not open it. So did not See any money It is possible if he did have the money that it went through the Laundry.

Deint A Saffran

Nov 22. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Made a further investigation in the Otterson Case at 1333 Evergreen Ave. And learned that. Mr Viviano who lives at 1346 Evergreen ave is Connected with the Hill Bread Co in New ark N J. They have had Labor trouble Since the first of may 1932. on July 22 2nd 1932 about 9 P. m A Thermas bottle Containing the Same kind of Liquod was thrown through the Bakery window. I phoned to the New ark Police Headqts. and got in touch with Detective Mc Connell. who worked on the Case. There and he told me they never located the man that threw it. There is no doubt but the Stink Bomb was meant for Mr Viviano as his house is just across the Street from Mrs Ottersons.

Deint A Saffran

Nov-22.1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks & Business Sections from 8 a.m to 6 P.m

Deint a Sapperan

Nov-22.1932 Detective J Denny investigated an alarm of fire sent in from Box 19 at about 6.15 P.m. and found that some sparks from the Chimney of Joseph Santa Cross house at 809 George St had set fire to the roof and was noticed by Angela Bruno 824 George St. who pulled the Box The damage was very slight.

Deint a Sapperan

Nov-22.1932 Detective J Denny reports he secured a Statement of the accident which happened at 6.30 a.m. near the Corner of Plainfield Ave. and West Front St from Mrs Minnie Stillwell of 803 Eddy Road of Cleveland Ohio. one of the passengers injured accident she was able to proceed to her Sons home in Passaic with him. I visited different Parts of the City and found Conditions quiet in the Business Sections.

Deint a Sapperan

Nov-23.1932 Detective Sergt Gray was off Duty Wednesday as his Day off.

Deint a Sapperan

Nov-23.1932 Detective E. Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business sections from 8 a.m to 6 P.m.

Deint a Sapperan

Nov-23.1932

Detective J Denny visited Mr Anthony Adams of 1114 Plainfield Ave. and he informed me that same and had broken into his home during the day. and arrived home about 6.30 P.m from work. he noticed things slightly disarranged upon the Second floor and looking further discovered that all the dresser drawers in the bed room had been

House Entered

Searched through. a gold plain black Onyx ring Valued at $30.00. a Medium Sized Cameo Pin. Valued at $10.00. and Several other Small pieces of jewelry of no great Value had been Carried away. I found that the thief had taken a flat pinch bar from Mr Adams Garage and pried open a windaw which faces the rear porch. He then closed the windaw. and when leaving passed through the rear door and locked it behind him taking the key along. as there were quite a few burnt matches lying on the floor in front of the dressers the intruder must have gotten in while it was getting dark. most likely between 5 P.m and 6.30 P.m. There were no finger prints of Value upon any article. or Surface that he could have touched.

Deinte A Saffron

Nov-23.1932

Detective J Denny Charles Hudrick of 218 Clinton Ave Plainfield N.J. informed me that three Packages had been Stolen from an american Express

Stolen goods from truck

Company truck of which he was the driver Two of the packages Contained a half Gallon Each of Medicated alcohal Consigned to Dr Weigel and the other Contained a Shipment of Several dresses to the Star Dress Co all three were Valued at about $60.00 Each of the alcohal Cans were Painted green. and had a Yellow Label with the Number 94280 upon it. The Carton of dresses was about 30 inches long. and 20 inches wide and weighed 19 Lbs. The yellow Label had the number 23566 on it Hudsick left the Express Companys Platform about 10 a.m. with the truck lock of the Packages. and did not miss them until about

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Nov-23-1932 11.30 a m. while on Second Place. He said that he kept the rear gate locked on the truck Every time that he left it. The only car or persons that he Could remember near the truck was a U.S. mail truck which pulled up behind him at Seventh st and Park ave. at about 11.15 a m I located that driver and his helper and they both remembered distinctly stopping back of Hudsicks truck and noticed that the rear gate was closed. It was still closed when they made their delivery and proceeded on. I could not locate anyone who saw the truck being tampered with

Deist & Saffron

Nov-23-1932 Detective J Denny investigated a report left by Sergt Brawk that Mr Berry Egan of 930 Kenyon Ave. had Complaint of Several boys throwing stones at his house and breaking windows I questioned William McCrea of 1033 W. Fourth St. and learned that he had been there along with arthur Carlson of 1029 West Fourth St and Charles Smith of McDowell St. No windows were broken as first stated. Mr Egan has a young daughter going to high school and these boys also go to the School. They have been around Egans house several times during the past week and seemed to be teasing the girls.

Deist & Saffron

Nov-24-1932 Detective E McGarvey reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 7 a m to 6 P m

arrest. at at 12.50 P.m. arrested John Jackson a Negro from Philadelphia Charged with Panhandling on Watching ave. and East Front Street

Deist & Saffron

Nov-24-1932 Detective J Denny reports he was on Duty in different Sections of the City during the day and found Conditions quiet.

Deist & Saffron

Nov 24. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a fire incendiary Nature. at a house located at 1360 East 2nd/th. and owned by Mrs Rose Restivo of 308 East 3rd th. at 2.15 a m to day an Explosion took place there. That blew all the windows out and also blew the East and West Sides of the house out about 6 inches. The fire had started along the base boards on the first and 2nd floors. a quanity of toilet paper and burlap was found Saturated with gasoline. John Balthrope of 1368 East 2nd th. came home about 1.30 a.m. and did not notice any thing unusual about the home. as he passed after he went upstairs to get ready for bed. he heard a noise next door that sounded like some thing falling to the floor then a few seconds later the Explosion occured I made a Canvas in the Vicinity. But could not locate any one that knew any thing about the fire till after the Explosion.

Explosion 1360 E 2nd th.

Leiut a Soffron

Nov 26. 1932

Detective E McGarry reported for Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 9 a m to 6 P. m

Leiut a Soffron

Nov 26. 1932

Detective J Denny reported for Duty at 9 a m and Visited different Parts of the City and Business Sections throughout the day and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Leiut a Soffron

Nov 25: 1932

Explosion 1360 East 2nd St

Detective Sergt Gray and George Scherff of the National Board of fire underwriters. We Continued the investigation of the Explosion that took place at 2:15 a m. November 24th 1932 in a house located at 1360 East 2nd St. and was owned by Mrs Rose Restivo of 308 East 3rd St. The house was purchased by Mrs Restivo from Lehassie Smith about two years ago. The metropolitan Building and Loan Co of 275 mulberry st Newark N.J. have a first mortgage on the Property there is a 2nd Mortgage The House is insured for $7500.00. and the garage $500.00 with the State of Penn Ins Co Policy #37906 on august 22nd 1930 till august 21st 1933 through the agency of Guerin and Williams Inc 206 & 208 market st Newark N J. I also Interviewed Mr Masher of 1402 East 2nd St. and he said. Mr and Mrs Restivo with a Strange man described as about 55 years old, and wore a lumber jacket and cap. were at the house 1360 on two occasions wednesday Nov 23rd and on the morning of the fire he was awoke and heard a Car leave his house just before he heard the Explosion. John Balthrope of 1368 East 2nd St told me he came home about 1.30 a m. and did not notice anything as he passed the house. He had some thing to Eat after he got home. and then went up Stairs about 2.10 a m. just as he was taking off his shoes he heard a Noise like some thing falling then a few seconds later he felt and heard the Explosion. He did not see any one around the house. I also questioned Mrs Mc Pherson of 1358 East 2nd St. And She Said Mrs Restivo went to 1360 with her Son on Wednesday about 10 a m and again at 4 P m. They pulled there Car in the rear yard. But she did not see them take anything out of the Car. I questioned Mr & Mrs Frank Restivo at Police Headqts. But they denied knowing anything about the fire He is Employed by the Emergency Relief Committee and was moved with the City truck. Chief Dunn of the City Fire Department obtained some toilet paper soaked with gasoline found on the second floor along the inside base Board

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Nov 25: 1932 Explosion 13.60 East 2nd St

He also found a quanity of Burlap soaked with Gasaline. and about 1 pint of gasaline in the wash tub on the Second floor. all of these articles are in Possesion of Chief Dunn. Officer Erber found two small bundles of matches tied with a fuse both of which had burned. They are now in my possesion.

Deint A Soffran

Nov 26. 1932

Detective E. McGarry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a.m to 10 P. m.

Deint A Soffran

Nov 26. 1932 Windows Broken by Boys.

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a report made by officer Brauer that windows were broken in houses on Beckman and East 6th Street The windows on East 6th St. was at the Bronston Hat Co Building a few windows were broken Some by boys and Some were broken accidently by Employees.

At 741 Beckman St. I found 19 panes of Glass out. the house was open and damage done to the interior

At 745 Beckman St two panes of glass was broken the house was open. Some damage to the furnace at 803 Beckman St. 6 panes of glass were broken the house was open Electric fixtures were missing and the furnace was damaged.

all the houses have been Vacant a long time and are to be Sold for taxes. I closed the windows and locked all the doors. Made a Canvas in the Vicinity. But Could not get the names of the boys who did the damage. The remainder of the day I was on duty in Various parts of the City and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Soffran

Nov 26. 1932

Detective J Denny was on Duty in the Business Sections throughout the afternoon and Evening and found Conditions quiet.

Deint a Soffran

Nov 26. 1932 — Detective J Denny reports Mrs Garbman of 535 west 3rd St. informed me that some one had broken the Padlock on her store door, and stole seven Packages of Camel Cigarettes. Nothing Else appeared to have been disturbed. The padlock was on the front door.

Store Entered

Deist a Saffran

Nov 26. 1932 — Detective J Denny reports that Tony Conciloe of 223 Johnson ave. reported to him that on November 25th his wheel was stolen from Wiley ave. near McCrea Place, at about 7.30 P.m. It had a red frame, rusty handle bars, with a Cross bar and a hook on rear mudguard.

Bicycle Stolen

Deist a Saffran

Nov 27. 1932 — Detective Sergt Gray served a Summons on Jerome Morris. Charged him with operating a Bowling alley and Pool room at 421 Park Ave with out a license.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 27. 1932 — Detective Sergt Gray reports the Remainder of the day he was on Duty in Various Parts of the City.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 27. 1932 — Detective J Denny was off Duty on Sunday November 27th as his Day off.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 27. 1932 — Detective E. McGarry was off Duty on Sunday November 27th as his day off.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 28. 1932 — Detective E McGarry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Deist a Saffran

Nov 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray investigated a Complaint made by Mr Percy Brewer who has a garage at 900 Sarth ave. Stateing that Fred Peters an Employee of the Loizeaux Lumber Co Stole a Battery from the garage Valued at $5.95 Cents. Brewer and I located in Peters Car. and Brewer identified the Battery as his. I questioned Peters and he admitted stealing it. and made restitution Brewer wald not make a Camplaint.

Stolen Battery Returned by Det Sergt Gray

Deint a Saffran

Nov 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray checked up with the western union Telegraph Co to Verify a report that walter Yorborough who is Wanted for questioning for a Murder sent a telegram Nov 24th to Buston Dickerman in Conn. The Man in Charge told me he did Send one which read. I am in Serious trouble. Information wanted by Deint Summers of Westfield.

Deint a Saffran

Nov 28. 1932

Detective Sergt Gray Checked of License number on Cars. Seek around the Hill Bread Co in New Ark that might have Some Connection with the Bomb at the Ottersons E 91960- IE 11457- E-625 51- E-1736- E 30840- E-2305 5. H69634- E31187. all N.J. and 5 R 215 N.J.

Deint a Saffran

Nov 28. 1932

Detective J Denny reports that Mrs Summers who Conducts a boarding house at 19 Craig Place N.P. Complained to me that the boys playing along Green Brook at the rear of her Property Both on North Plainfield and Plainfield Side. Have been Shooting air rifles toward her house. and had Cracked a winidow pane. I learned from a Man parking Cars at the rear of Peppers that boys had Come there from the west End of the town. and occasionly play there. He did not Know any of them how Ever. He will notify us when they Come there again Conditions otherwise were quiet throughout the City.

Boys breaking Windows

Deint a Saffran

Nov 29. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reported on Duty at South 24th St and Leland ave. where the Emergency Relief men are working on the Sewer job. were dissatisfied with conditions. and went on strike.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 29. 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports he was on duty in the Business Sections of the City the remainder of the day. till the stores closed.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 29. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on duty at the Banks and Business Sections from 8 a m to 6 P m

Levit a Saffron

Nov 29. 1932 Detective J Denny reports he spent considerable time out with a Parole officer from Spillman searching for and securing information concerning Rocco. Fatia who Escaped from that institution during the months of Sept ber. Learned that he is in Mt Kisco New York. with his married sister and is working in a theatre there.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 29. 1932 Detective J Denny reports that he Covered different Parts of the City and Business Section during the day and Evening and found Condition quiet.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 30 1932 Detective Sergt Gray reports he was off Duty Wednesday as his day off.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 30. 1932 Detective E Mc Garry reported on Duty at the Banks and Business sections from 8 a m to 6 P. m.

Levit a Saffron

Nov 30. 1932

Detective J Denny and Deint a Saffran were summoned to appear before the united States quarter Sessions Court Judge Clark presiding in Newark to testify in the case of the United States V 3 Cans and Samuel Rosenberg for the Possession of an unregistered still at 1170 Woodland ave on May 6th 1932.

Deint a Saffran

Nov 30. 1932 arrest

Detective J Denny and Deint a Saffran Raided the Premises of Samuel Greenblatt 674 South 2nd St. and arrested Greenblatt after we found about three quarts of whiskey and a quart of gin in his Possession.

Deint a Saffran

Nov 30. 1932

Still in Cellar not operation.

Detective J Denny and Deint a Saffran arrested Susie Socko of 309 Evona ave on a warrant charged her with making an Illegal Sale of whiskey while Searching her Premises We found a ten Gallon still in the Cellar not in operation and three gallons of Rye whiskey.

Deint a Saffran

Dec. 1, 1932

Room entered at Y.M.C.A.

Detective sergeant Daniel J. Gray reported that he investigated a Complaint made by Mr. Charles Nadas who rooms at the Y.M.C.A. that some time between Tuesday at 11:00 P.M. and Wednesday at 8:00 A.M. his room #311 was entered by someone with a key and $74.00 in money stolen. Two $20.00 bills, three $10.00 bills and four $1.00 bills. Two men having rooms on the second and third floors are suspected. Made a check-up on both of them but so far have not found out anything definite.

Clerk WE Smalley

Dec. 1, 1932
embroidery stolen.

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mrs. Theodore La Rew who has an embroidery place at 123 North Ave. that on Nov. 14th she gave a Mrs. Watson who gave her address as 335 E. 5th St. about 85 pieces of collars and cuffs to embroider and she failed to return them. Mrs. La Rew inquired at the address and was told that Mrs. Watson never lived there. Making a check through the Post Office to try and locate her. Goods valued at $25.00

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 1, 1932

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the city.

Clerk, McSmalley

Dec. 1, 1932
Reckless driving case.

Detective John V. Denny reports that he issued a summons to Henry Sonderegger of 977 Kensington Ave. to appear in Court on Dec. 6, 1932 on Complaint of Walter P. Dixon, 1017 Central Ave, who charged him with reckless driving at the corner of Stella Ave. and 8th St. at 8:45 A. M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 1, 1932
house entered

Detective John V. Denny reports that Mrs. Charles Campbell of 1107 Kenyon Ave informed him that on Tuesday night, November 29th she drove into

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Dec. 1, 1932
house entered
(Continued)

the driveway of her home at 5:45 P.M. and left her car with her 12 months old baby in it standing near the back porch. She went into the house and up stairs before bringing the child. As she turned on the lights in a bedroom she saw a man standing there with her husband's blue suit in his hands and a new black suit case that her husband had bought recently on the floor near his feet. A couple of suits of underwear had been placed in the suit case by this man also. Mrs. Campbell became frightened and ran down the stairs to her child which had fallen out of a seat in the car and was crying lustily. The man followed after her and pulled the telephone cord loose as he went by it. He also carried away the suit and suit case and a valuable mandolin. He ran out through the back lots and disappeared in the darkness. The mandolin was later found in the garage. Twenty dollars in cash was also taken from a drawer in the kitchen table. Mrs. Campbell described the man as at least 45 years of age, 5' 9" tall, medium build, gray bushy hair, dark waist-coat and grey slip on sweater and of American descent. He did not speak much to her but warned her not to tell the police. She has never seen this man before. The suit case that he took was valued

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Dec. 1, 1932 house entered (Continued)

at $12.50 and Mr. Campbell's suit at $60.00. The suit had Brokaw Brothers, New York on a label on the inside of the coat. Mrs. Campbell asked that no publicity be given her case as she was afraid the man would come back and take her baby.

Clerk McEnalley

Dec. 1, 1932

Detective Eugene Mc Dary reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Clerk McEnalley

Dec. 2, 1932 Stolen bicycle

Detective John V. Denny reports that Officer Erber and he recovered a boy's bicycle that had been stolen from the Y.M.C.A. on Tuesday night. They received it from Mrs. Frank Nobile, 1143 Myrtle Ave. who found it upon her lawn in the morning. They notified the owner, Bruce Douglas, 107 Liberty St. to call for it.

Clerk McEnalley

Dec. 2, 1932 Report of liquor raid

Detective John V. Denny reports that he typed a statement of a raid at #309 Elvora Ave. on Wednesday night and mailed it to Prohibition Headquarters in Newark as per request of agent Edward M. Ward.

Clerk McEnalley

Dec. 2, 1932

Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited different parts of the city and business section during the day and evening and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McEnalley

Dec. 2, 1932 fur coat stolen

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he investigated a report made by Mr. Theodore Stack of 38 Somerset St. that sometime Wednesday morning November 30, 1932 someone stole a Tan Lapin fur coat from his truck while it was parked in the rear of Griffen's Store. The coat was sent to Mr. Stacks to be cleaned and was left in the delivery car which was left unlocked. Inquiries were made of people in the vicinity and also the Pawn Shop and second hand stores were checked but no trace of the coat was found. The coat was valued at about $200.00

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 2, 1932 Charge of annoying a woman

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he brought the owner of car V22309, a Mr. Cook of Millington to Police Headquarters on complaint made by Mrs. Cummings of 1416 Park Ave. who charged Mr. Cook with annoying her daughter.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 2, 1932 Woman injured by car.

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he took Mrs. William S. Man of 772 Kensington Ave. to Muhlenbergh Hospital in the Police Patrol. She was injured when struck by a car driven by Mr. Goldbergh at Putnam Ave. and E. 7th St. at 8:05 P. M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 2, 1932

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he continued investigation of the fire that took place Nov. 24, 1932 at 1360 E. Second St.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 2, 1932

Detective Eugene McSavy reports that he was on duty at the banks and business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6: P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 3, 1932 (disorderly conduct)

Detective John V. Denny reports that Sergeant McSinley, Officer Wingenreid, and he arrested John Sweeney and Edith Wood, both colored, in Sweeney's garage at the rear of #312 E. Front St. at 12:10 a.m. They were lying on a cot in a side room together. We charged them with disorderly conduct.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 3, 1932 (wife beating)

Detective John V. Denny reports that he arrested Albert Brown of 136 E. Second St. at the corner of Berkman and E. 6th St. A short time before he had beaten his wife and created considerable disturbance at home and then ran away when one of his daughters had phoned to Police Headquarters.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 3, 1932 (lost pocket-book)

Detective John V. Denny reports that Mrs. Cora Pittard of 620 E. 3rd St. informed him that she lost her pocket-book containing about $10.50 and a considerable amount of receipts and other papers in the vicinity of Richmond St. A woman living near there said that she saw one of three Italian men pick it up and walk down East Third St. toward Watchung Ave. She said the men were laboring men and were probably on their way home from the City Yards

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Dec. 3, 1932 (lost pocket-book) I inquired along Third St. and, although several people noticed these men pass, no one seemed to know their names.

clerk MEsmalley

Dec. 3, 1932 (Room entered) Detective John V. Denny reports that Ralph Lewis, 303 Madison Ave. informed him that on Thursday night between the hours of 8:00 and 11:00 P. M. someone entered his room at the above address and carried away an Eastman Motion Picture Camera valued at $12.50 and also $2.50 in change which he had in a small wooden box. At 3:00 P. M. I arrested Charles Clay, 38 Chatham St. aged 18 years in Mortimer's photographic store on Park Ave. as he was trying to sell the camera to Mr. Mortimer. He admitted taking the camera and money. Lewis's door had been left open.

clerk MEsmalley

Dec. 3, 1932 (attempted suicide) Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he investigated an attempt at suicide reported from the hospital. On arriving at the hospital he learned that Mrs. Josephine Di Vico aged 44 years of 814 St. Mary's Ave. had an argument with her husband, John Di Vico and after he left the house she turned three jets of the gas range in the kitchen on and sat near the stove with all the doors and windows closed. After she turned them on Mrs. Sallie Dicellio of 771 North Ave. came to see her and

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Dec. 3, 1932 (Attempted suicide)

found her unconscious. After she was brought out of the house into the air she came to and vomited. She was brought to the hospital by Theodore Ettl of 236 North Jackson Ave. N. Plainfield. The doctor examined her and said she was out of danger. He did not give her any treatment. Brought her to Police Headquarters and had her booked and she was released until Monday at 9:00 A.M. Also left word for her husband to be here Monday at 9:00 A.M. As they have had trouble at the home for some while.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 3, 1932 (theft of coke)

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a complaint made by Mr. John T. Melick, Manager of the Hexter Baking Co. at 629 South Ave. that for several weeks someone has been stealing coke from the bin in the rear of the plant. He gave me the names of several suspects that I will check upon.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 3, 1932

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the city.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 3, 1932

Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 4, 1932

Detective Eugene McSavy's day off.

Dec. 4, 1932

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he served a summons on Jerome Morris charging him with operating a Pool Room and Bowling Alleys and not having a license at 421 Park Ave.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 4, 1932 (Theft of coke)

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he brought Albert Wahler of 210 Sumner Ave. and George De Mathews of 1135 East Second St. to Police Headquarters to question them about some coke stolen from the Hexter Baking Co. on South Ave. They would not admit anything and Mr. Melick, the manager coulol not identify them. Served Summons on them for Tuesday morning Charged with ficticious plates.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 4, 1932

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he was on duty in various parts of the city.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 4, 1932

Detective John V. Denny reports that he was off duty all day Sunday Dec. 4, 1932.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 5, 1932 (warrant issued)

Detective John V. Denny reports that he left a warrant for Cornelius Hennessy at South Plainfield, N.J. Headquarters. He is charged with larceny of a wrist watch. clerk McSmalley

Dec. 5, 1932
(Warrant issued)

Detective John V. Denny reports that he left a warrant at Scotch Plains Headquarters for Mable Derby of that town who is charged with issuing a worthless check.

Clerk McSwalley

Dec. 5, 1932
(stolen pocketbook)

Detective John V. Denny reports that he further investigated the loss of a pocketbook by Mrs. Cora Pittard of 620 E. Third St. on Saturday afternoon and learned that it was picked up by one of three men near the corner of E. 3rd St. and Richmond St. I questioned James Lyons, 904 W. 4th St., Tony Matale 646 South Second St. and John Jonkura, 132 Elmwood Place and got an admission from Jonkura that he had the pocketbook. He said he and another fellow had spent the money. He gave the pocketbook back to Mrs. Pittard and promised to see that she got her money within two weeks. Mrs. Pittard was satisfied.

Clerk McSwalley

Dec. 5, 1932
(stolen pocketbook)

Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a complaint made by Miss. Margaret Mc Kenna of 447 W. 6th St. that while she was on her way home from the Public Library last night between 5:00 and 5:30 P. M. as she was going North on Division St. between 7th and 8th Sts. two boys ran up to her and grabbed her purse that was on top of some books she carried. The purse contained $1.07 in money and other articles of value. One boy was about 15 years old, about 5'4" tall slim build and wore a leather coat. The

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Dec. 5, 1932 (Stolen pocket book Cont'd) other boy was about 13 years old, stocky build, and wore a leather coat.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 5, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Bray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the city.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 5, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Davy reports that he was on duty at the banks and business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 6, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he recovered a brown bicycle on East Third St. near Richmond St. that was stolen from Ray Dahl of Central St. on October 29, 1932. it was returned to the owner.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 6, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he was on duty in different parts of the city and in the business section during the rest of the day and evening and found things quiet and orderly.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 6, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Davy reports that he was on duty at the banks and business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 6, 1932 (Stove entered) Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he investigated a report made by Mr. John McInnes, Manager of the Mutual Grocery Co. at 3 & 3½ East Front St. that some time during the night the store was entered by forcing the screen from the toilet window. About $20.00 worth of groceries and tobacco and $5.02 in change was stolen. McInnes suspected Harry Wean of 15 Westervelt Ave. of doing the job as Wean was doing some work on the roof of the building and had used the toilet. Patrolman Flynn and I searched Wean's house with his permission and found the groceries and cigarettes there. Placed Wean under arrest and obtained a statement from him. Also obtained a statement from Joseph Swoher who rooms with Wean.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 6, 1932 (chicken stealing) Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he investigated the story told by James Snedeker and Robert Mercier of Bound Brook Road, Middlesex Borough, placed under arrest by Sergt. Brown with two bags of live chickens which they were trying to sell. When questioned they said the chickens belonged to their father. When I went to their home Mrs. Mercier told me they have not any chickens and if the boys had them they were stolen. Notified Chief of Police Fellows.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 6, 1932 (Check-up on roomer at Y.M.C.A.) Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he went to the Art Color Company in Dunellen and checked up on a roomer at the Y.M.C.A. who is employed at the Art Color and learned that he is apparently O.K.

Dec. 7, 1932 (attempted entry of apartment)

Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited Mr. and Mrs. Marts, 165 Crescent Ave. Apt. #3 D and learned from them that some time during the afternoon while they were away from the apartment an attempt was made to force the door leading from the hallway. No entrance was made, however, Mrs. Marts had put on the double lock with which the door is equipped before she went out and this prevention probably thwarted the thief's efforts. There were several jimmy marks on the door and sash opposite the lock. The janitor did not see anyone around that he could not account for during the day.

Dec. 7, 1932 (Steel drums stolen)

Detective John V. Denny reports that he secured statements from Patsy Robertazzo and Raymond Pagan of Hillside who were found driving a truck with five stolen steel drums upon it. These drums were taken from the rear of the Sears-Roebuck store at Front and Grove Sts.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 7, 1932 (assault)

Detective John V. Denny reports that he and Officer Bray arrested Mary Galasso, 525 South Second St. on a warrant charging her with striking Mrs. Pearl of #439 West Fourth St.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 7, 1932 (Steel drums case)

Detective John V. Denny reports that he and Lieutenant Kaffron arrested Patsy Robertozza and Raymond Pagan of Hillside, N.J. at North Plainfield Police Headquarters and charged them with stealing five empty steel drums

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Dec. 7, 1932 from the rear of the Sears-Roebuck Store at West Front and Grove Sts.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 7, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Davy reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 7, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he was off duty all day.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 8, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he left a warrant for Stillman Jones at the Scotch Plains Headquarters to be served upon him.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 8, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he and Officer E. Flynn recovered a Chrysler roadster on Berkman St. near East Third St. This car was stolen a short time before near the Y. M. C. A. building.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 8, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Max Gabler, 1001 East Second St. reported to him that on several different occassions during the past two months a quart bottle of oil was stolen from the side of his store during the day.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 8, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Heinrich Bucher, 227 W. Front St. Plainfield, N.J. informed him that his overcoat was stolen from the High School on the night of December 6, 1932. Mr. Bucher was attending a night school session with Miss H. H. Humphrey as a teacher. Mr. Bucher left it in a cloak room on the second floor at 7:30 P.M. and when he went for it at 9:30 P.M. it was not there. The coat was black in color and was bought only recently in Adelberg's store on West Front St. It was quite long and would fit a medium built man.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 8, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry report that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 8, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mr. Weiner, Principal of the Jefferson School that after the Moving Picture Show yesterday they missed one roll of film valued at $25.00. Questioned about ten boys who were in the room and finally got the information that George Schaeffer of 203 Rock Ave. had the film. When questioned he admitted it saying John Krim of 64 Everett Pl. gave it to him. After he recovered the film Mr. Weiner did not want to make a complaint.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 8, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he continued the investigation of the robbery that took place Monday night at the Mutual Store at 323½ East Front St.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 9, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he investigated a call from Officer Ever stating that he had noticed the wire screens cut on a window and rear door of # 621 Berkeley Ave. This house was occupied until recently by Mr. Lawrence Daly, now of Newark, N.J. There is quite some furniture stored in the house still. There were also some jimmy marks on the rear door. Entrance was apparently made with a key through the rear door. Nothing seemed to be disturbed and we will not be able to tell definitely until we get in touch with Mr. Daly in Newark. We made the rear door and window secure.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 9. 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mr. Louis Stein, proprietor of a shoe store at # 315 Watching Ave. informed him that sometime during the night the rear window and door of his store were partially pried open in an attempt to enter. The thief was not successful in his efforts, however. An old file found nearby was used to work on the door and window. There were no fingerprints obtainable.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 9, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mr. Barlow of 342 McDowell St. stated to him that he saw two men attempting steal his English Setter from his rear yard at about 9:00 P.M. and he also claims they were loitering near his yard at about 6:30 P.M. and 6:30 P.M. When he left the house to question these men they quickly cut through a nearby field and disappeared. One man was about 5'6" tall, stocky build, lumber jacket and cap and the other was about 5'10" slim build dark overcoat and soft hat.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 9, 1932 Detective Eugene McDarry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8, AM to 6 P.M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 9, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he continued the investigation of the Mutual Grocery Co. Robbery that took place sometime Monday night.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 9, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he placed John Tvalian of Dunellen under arrest and he gave a statement saying that he and Harry Wean robbed the store sometime between 3:00 and 4:00 A.M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 9, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the City. Quiet.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 10, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Evan Papastatis, 36 Norwood Ave. Proprietor of the lunch room at the corner of Watchung and North Avenues informed him that $40.00 was taken from his trousers pocket while he slept between 2 A.M. and 10 A.M. A Mr. and Mrs. George Ralston rent this house and let out rooms. Papastatis and the cook in the restaurant occupy occupy a room together on the third floor. Mr. and Mrs. Ralston also occupy a room on this floor. The front door to the house was not locked last night and neither was the door of Papastatis' room. I questioned the Ralstons and the roomers but all denied having any knowledge of the disappearance of the money. I will check up further on their stories.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 10, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he was on duty in various parts of the city and business section during the day and evening and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 10, 1932 Detective Eugene McSarry reports that he was on duty at the banks and the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 10: P. M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 10, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Vray reports that he placed Andrew Lewis of 606 East 3d St. under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Meya on complaint made by Melvin Wilson who charged him with Disorderly Conduct.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 10, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he also placed Erik Hultbergh of 1027 Myrtle Ave. under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Meya on complaint made by Mrs. Hultbergh who charges him with striking her with a chair.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 10, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in the business section of the city.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 11, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he was off duty all day.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 11, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he served a summons on Jerome Morris to be in Court December 12 charged with operating a Pool Room and Bowling Alleys without a license.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 11, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty at Police Headquarters.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 12, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he was on duty at the banks and business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 12, 1932 Detective Sergt. Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mrs. C. O. Locke of 731 Monroe Ave. that Sunday between 5:00 and 5:30 P.M. someone stole a Flexible Flyer sled from the front yard. The sled is a standard make and did not have any identification marks on it.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 12, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the City and found conditions quiet.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 12, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Philip Schwartz, 518 West Third St. informed him that while his truck was parked in front of his store at the above address about 6:00 P.M. several boys jumped into it and carried away two or three pounds of butter. I questioned several boys and learned that James Walker (colored) aged 8 years was the one who entered the truck and took out two pounds of butter. He then gave them to Joseph Ward, 517 South Second St. aged 12 years who took them home. I recovered the butter from Ward and returned it to Schwartz.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 12, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mr. Wood, President of The Boice Runyon Coal Co., informed him that some boys or young men had entered the Company's sheds over the week end and drove the trucks about and damaged

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them considerably. I questioned numerous boys that are in the habit of walking along the tracks at the rear of the coal yard but so far none will admit going into the yard.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 12, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited Mrs. H. V. Boorden at # 714 Cleveland Court and secured a check for $5.72 as the balance due on a bad check issued by her son in Frederick Maryland.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 13, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mr. Wm. E. Piercey, 716 East Front St. informed him that about two weeks ago he missed a pair of binoculars and about forty old coins from his apartment. He did not report it at the time but yesterday he noticed his binoculars for sale in Weintraub's Curio Shop at # 205 East Second St. Weintraub has not been in the habit of keeping a record of his purchases so could not tell the person's name who left the glasses with him. He did not receive any of the coins however. I visited Weintraub and he told me he knows the young fellow by sight and will get his name as soon as he sees him.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 13, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mr. Klein, asst. manager of Kresge's Five and Ten Cent Store, informed him that one of his girls had just caught two boys in the act of shoplifting

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Dec. 13, 1932. (shoplifting continued) small articles from the counters and that he was holding them in the office. I questioned them and found their names to be Thomas Ricketts, 1185 Hillside Ave. and Thomas Pignette 930 Putnam Ave. Ricketts is 13 years old while Pignette is 12 years old. They had about $3.00 worth of assorted toys in their pockets. We have not had any previous trouble with these boys and the manager Mr. Alden was satisfied to have their mothers notified to come and get them. Both mothers arrived in a short time and took charge of the boys.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 13, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he also spent considerable time continuing the investigation of the damaging of the Boice Runyon coal yard property on Sunday.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 13, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he placed Stillman Jones under arrest at Scotch Plains on a warrant issued by Judge De Mega on complaint made by Mrs. Jones who charged him with failing to support her.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 13, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in the business section of the City.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 13, 1932 Detective Eugene McDarry reports that he was on duty at the banks and the business section from 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 14, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he arrested Roger Christman 112 Madison Ave. on a warrant from Newark Charging him with the issuance of a bad check.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 14, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited different parts of the City and business section during the day and evening and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 14, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he investigated the case of an unknown man ordering and carrying away a case of cigarettes of the value of $61.00 and giving a worthless check in return to Harry Salvin of #301 N. Front St. This check is evidently a forgery with the name of the manager of Tobin's Drug Store signed to it.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 14, 1932 Detective Eugene McDarry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 14, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Gray reports that he was off duty all day.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 15, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mrs. Nadene Hope, 215 Grant Ave. informed him that on several occasions during the past two weeks while her daughter Muriel age 11 years was on her way to the Jefferson School a tall man riding in a greenish grey sedan stopped her and wanted to take her riding. This has happened on West Front and South Second Sts. The girl could not give a very good description of him nor did she get the license number of the car.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 15, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited Metherwood Station in reference to a report by officer Browne that the telephone in the pay station had been tampered with and learned that the ticket agent, J. Brown, had left the office at 3:25 P. M. and shortly after several groups of children coming from the Maxson School stopped in the station. They did not injure the phone but wedged pieces of paper, match folders, and small pieces of wood into the coin slots.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 15, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he spent considerable time checking up on books that have been taken from the Public Library and not returned.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 15, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he went to Elizabeth to testify in the Cancelleti - Del Bene case. Case was put over until December 21st.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 15, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he placed Michael Raminsky of 1362 E. Front St. under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Meya on complaint made by Herbert Feller who charged him with issuing a worthless check for $8.00.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 15, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mrs. Henry Martin of Terrill Road that during the past three months she has missed three pieces of jewelry. #1 - a Platinum Circle one inch in diameter containing two diamonds and about 30 Pearls valued at $100.00. #2 - a Platinum bar pin about three inches long containing four diamonds valued at $60.00. #3 - An odd shaped piece of wood set inlaid with silver valued at $40.00. Will check up our pawn tickets before questioning her former maid.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 15, 1932 Detective Eugene McDarry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 16, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mrs. Mary McPherson, 1238 Arlington Ave. informed him that on a date near the first of September a young white woman and two men came to her house and told her that they were representing a bank in Newark and solicited her deposits. She told them she did not have any money but they kept talking to her until she finally went upstairs and took $5.50 which she had saved to bring down south to her mother and turned it over to them. They said her money would increase to $800.00 by Christmas. She did not receive any receipt or anything else in return for it. They drove away in a dark maroon sedan car. She did not notice the registration number of it. She had never seen any of them before and is at a loss to know how they knew she had the money. Mrs. McPherson is 62 years old and lives at this address with her married daughter. She had not told anyone of this affair until today for fear of her children nagging at her. Mrs. McPherson described the woman as about 22 years old, 5'6" tall, medium build, reddish face, light hair and wearing a dark green suit and black hat. Number one man was about 5'6" tall, 22 years old, medium stocky build, wore glasses and a tan suit. Number two man was 5'10" tall, 30 years old medium build clean shaven and wearing a grey suit. Number two man carried the money away.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 16, 1932 Detective John W Denny reports that Mrs. Dietz, 235 E. Sixth St. informed him that someone had broken several panes of glass in a rear window of her garage during the past week. & learned that Theodore Champlin and several other boys had been firing an air gun at a target in their back yard and had struck the window.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 16, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 16, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he was on duty in the business section of the City until 10:30 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 17, 1932 Detective John Denny reports that he investigated a report that there was a man sleeping in the hallway at #130 North Ave. on various nights of the week. & found Arthur Jacobs of Somerset St. North Plainfield lying there asleep. He said he was given permission to stay there by the janitor.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 17, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he was on duty in the business section most of the day and evening and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 17, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he was on duty in the business section of the City until 16:30 P. M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 17, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 10:00

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 18, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he was off duty.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 18, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he went to the State Prison in Trenton and placed Stanley Hall under arrest on a warrant issued by Judge De Meyo charging him with non-support of his four children.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 18, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the City and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 18, 1932 Detective John V. Derry reports that he was off duty all day Sunday Dec. 18, 1932.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 19, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he located Mary Devine of 131 Elmwood Place for Captain Ayers of the New York Police Dept.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 19, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he worked with Trooper Dickinson of the New Jersey State Police stationed at Morristown, N.J. checking up suspects living in Plainfield that might have some knowledge of robberies committed recently in Bernardsville, N.J.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 19, 1932 Detective Eugene McDarry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 19, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited the different apartment houses in the city and urged the janitors to keep an extra good look-out for sneak thieves and other suspicious persons during this week.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 19, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited various other parts of the city during the day and the business section during the evening and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 20, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that Detective Kelly of the Prosecutor's Office and he went to Eastville, Virginia and brought back Randolph Thomas who is wanted here charged with the murder of Fred Harvey on May 19, 1931

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 20, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he was on duty at the banks and business section from 8:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 20, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited the Mid-City Trust Co. at 4:25 P.M. and was informed by Mr. Daffney and Mr. Demler of the bank staff that John Coushay, 173 North Ave. had attempted to obtain a dozen of lemons from the Manro Fruit Market and offered a counterfeit $5.00 bill to pay for them. Theodore Manro, one of the partners, brought Coushay and the money to the bank where it was labeled counterfeit. Secured a statement from Coushay that he got the money from Paul Stagnetta at # 241 East Third St. to get the lemons. Also secured a statement from Stagnetta claiming that he got the money from William Arden who stopped at his store and bought a couple of packs of cigarettes giving the bill in payment for them. Was unable to locate Arden, but will do so. The number of the bad bill is D-30925856A.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 20, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited various apartments buildings during the afternoon and went from floor to floor but did not see any suspicious persons about.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 20, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he continued to trace books taken from the Public Library and not returned of paid for.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 20, 1932 — Detective John V. Denny reports that he investigated a call from a woman on Stilford Ave. stating that two men in a red car were canvassing on that street and would leave merchandise at various houses and then return for it some time later if the party did not care to purchase. I learned that they were Martin Wohlig and William Viner and both had permits to canvass the City to sell rubber bath mats.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 20, 1932 — Detective John V. Denny reports that he remained on duty in the business section during the evening until 11:00 P.M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 21, 1932 (capt. entered) — Detective John V. Denny reports that Mrs. Evelyn Schiano, 829 North Ave. informed him that sometime between 10:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. her apartment on the second floor of that address was entered and a large trunk broken open. The contents were strewn about and a small jewelry box carried away. This box contained a yellow gold bracelet with three diamond clips, one baby's ring, white gold with a blue stone and a small diamond, one yellow gold bracelet with several small stones in it, one hunting case yellow gold watch, one small diamond stick pin, one woman's ring with three red stones and one stone missing, and one man's gold ring with a red stone. These articles were valued at over $100.00. The door was apparantly not tampered with and a key may have been used to gain entry. No one was seen or heard about except a baker boy and he did not go all

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Dec. 21, 1932 the way upstairs. Nothing else was taken outside of the contents of the jewel box.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 21, 1932 (Randolph Thomas case) Detective John V. Denny reports that he assisted Lieutenant Soffron in getting statements and other information concerning the Randolph Thomas case.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 21, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he arrested John Nolcker of Reading, Pa. charged with being a suspicious person, from Watching Ave. and E. Front St. at 10:20 P. M.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 21, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty at the banks and business section.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 22, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited Mrs. Perlman who lives in the apartment house at # 248 Orange Place and learned from her that at 11:25 P. M. last night someone fired a shot at her kitchen window. It broke through the glass and landed somewhere in the room but she could not find the lead pellet itself. I examined the window and am sure that the lead that struck it was from an air rifle. I learned from inquiries about the neighborhood that a young man by the name of Lussee living in the apartment across the street has an air rifle and on several previous dates has discharged it from the roof of the building. I interviewed him and found him to be about 26 years old. He admitted having the gun and quite readily showed

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Dec. 22, 1932 it to me. He denied firing the shots but circumstances pointed toward his doing it. I gave him warning not to do any more firing within the city limits. Mrs. Perlman was satisfied, she feeling sure that it would not occur again if he was warned.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 22, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mrs. C. Wersing of Wersing's Beauty Parlor at #146 East Front St. complained to him that someone had gotten into the room and carried away a milk bottle containing about #4.00 in dimes, nickles, and pennies that had been left there on a table to collect donations for the Children's Milk Fund. Nothing else was disturbed. There was no outward sign of a forced entry and as the door was hard to pull shut it may not have pulled tight enough for the lock to catch. This Parlor is on the second floor and gives a thief a good opportunity to work undetected.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 22, 1932 (Randolph Thomas case) Detective John V. Denny reports that he assisted Assistant Prosecutor Walsh and Detective Richard Reilly in the placing of witnesses before Randolph Thomas for the purpose of identifying him as the man who shot Fred Harvey on May 21, 1931.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 22, 1932 Detective Eugene McSharry reports that he was on duty at the banks and the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 22, 1932 (Randolph Thomas Case) Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he brought several witnesses to Headquarters to give statements in the Thomas—Harvey Case. He also went to Elizabeth with Randolph Thomas and left him at the Prosecutor's office.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 22, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he gave a statement to Mr. Roger Murray of 901 Madison Ave. in regards to the Otterson Case.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 22, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in the business section of the City.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 23, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he covered the City and business section during the day and found conditions quiet. He also obtained some further statements from witnesses in the Randolph Thomas Case.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 23, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report from Brown and Keller's, 14 Washington Ave. that sometime during the night a rear window in the cleaning plant was broken just above the catch and entrance made. About $2,000.00 worth of men's and women's clothing was stolen. Lieutenant Laffron continued the investigation.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 23, 1932 (short change case) Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mr. Debele of the Queen City Building and Loan Association, 107 Park Ave. that about 3:00 P.M. a man about 5'11" tall, 200 pounds, 30 years old, either Greek or Italian, wearing a blue overcoat and soft hat went to Miss Iverson and asked for the change of a $20.00 bill. While she was making change he decided he did not want it. She gave him back the $20.00 bill and she thought he gave her the $20.00 change. After he went out she was $10.00 short. Q notified all the small stores and looked for him on the street but could not find him.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 23, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in the business section.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 24, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he was on duty in the business section of the City until 11:30 and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 25, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he was off duty all day.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 25, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he was off duty all day.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 26, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mr. William Dunlap of 119 Stilford Ave. that the glass in the dining room window

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Dec. 26, 1932 in the rear of the house was broken below the catch. Entrance was not made due to a dog being loose in the kitchen. Could not locate any prints on the glass. Dunlap's had been away the night before until 2:00 A.M. and did not notice the window until about 1:00 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 26, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the City and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 26, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he visited the home of Manuel Arroyameno, 1139 West Front St. and learned from him and his wife, Mary, that on Saturday night December 24th about 10:30 P.M. Mrs. Arroyameno poured out a bowl of very hot tea and left the bowl resting upon a saucer on the kitchen table. Her young son Joseph, aged sixteen months and eleven days reached up and by pulling on the edge of the saucer tipped the hot tea over upon himself. It scalded the right side of his face as well as his right shoulder. Mrs. Arroyameno took the child to Muldenberg Hospital immediately in a car belonging to August Fischer of the same address. Mrs. Arroyameno has four other larger children and has lived in Plainfield for 15 years. He is employed at the International Motor Plant and works about two days every other week. They are of Spanish descent. Dr. Williams of the Hospital told me that it appeared that the burns caused the child's death but that he was going to perform an autopsy to determine if there was any other contributing cause.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 27, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he investigated a report from Mr. Peter Panella, 321 Watson Ave. which stated that several boys including Joseph Panella of 1120 George St. have been causing him considerable trouble in the early evenings by ringing his doorbell and other mischievous pranks. On Sunday night a group of boys let the air out of the tires of a friend's car that stood in front of the house and took some tools from the car. I learned that Anthony Toresco, John Panella, Joe Panella, Frank Diano and Andrew Rubbo, all boys under 16 years of age were the ones guilty of ringing door bells and letting the air from tires. They all denied taking any tools from the car, however.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 27, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Sergeant Kane of North Plainfield Police Headquarters turned two boys, each 14 years old, over to him after he (Sergt. Kane) had found them standing near a gasoline station on Warren St. They told him that one of them William Banse, had found a set of keys in the Public Park near the High School about three weeks ago. Then one night while standing in the doorway of a grocery store at the corner of Berkman St. they tried the keys in the lock and found that it could be opened. They reached in and took a couple of bananas, some apples and some candy. They repeated this about three or four times within the past two weeks. The proprietor of the store did not miss any of the articles. These boys' names were William Banse, 429 Berkman St. and John Tyrcha, 621 E. 6th St. Each 14 years of age. Both of them attend Plainfield High School in the Freshman year. Their previous record (Cont'd page 394)

Dec. 27, 1932 are good.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 27, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he and officer Erber found a Flexible Flyer sled near Watson Ave. & George St. and brought it to Headquarters.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 27, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reported off duty at 10:50 A.M. Dec. 23 until 8: A.M. Dec. 27 on account of the death of his Mother.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 27, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Darry reports that he was on duty at the banks and business section from 8: A.M. to 6: P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 27, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he completed the investigation of the telephone call received by Mrs. Charles Newcombe of Peapack, N.J. in reference to the robbery she had recently. Learned that the call was made by a Mr. Angelone of South 9th St. who had no information to give Mrs. Newcombe but made the call to put Mr. Perry in bad with his employer, Mr. Newcombe. Mr. Perry lives at 770 E Second St. Plainfield and his son Louis Perry married Mr. Angelone's daughter and there is bad feeling between the two families. Made the investigation with Trooper Dickinson of the State Police who is working on the robbery.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 27, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he was on duty in various parts of the City the remainder of the day.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 28, 1932 Detective John Denny reports that he and Lieutenant Saffon arrested Anthony Concilio and Serafino Luca on warrants charging them with adultery. They were living together at 751 E. Third St.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 28, 1932 Detective John Denny reports that he finger-printed and photographed Joseph Lestarchick charged with Grand Larceny, for the North Plainfield Police Department. He brought back from No. Plainfield Police Headquarters that belonged to Nick Thul and were recovered from Joseph Lesterchick

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 28, 1932 Detective Eugene McGarry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 28, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he was off duty all day.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 29, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he was sent to the Kresge 5 and 10 cent store on West Front St. to question John Brown age 14 years of Terrill Road, Scotch Plains who was caught in the store stealing small articles. He had about $1.15 worth of goods he had picked up in the three 5 and 10 cent stores. Had him return the goods to the various stores and the managers refused to make a complaint.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 29, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the City and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 29, 1932 Detective E. McGarry reports that he was on duty at the banks and in the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

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Dec. 29, 1932 Detective Eugene McGarry reports that the Plainfield Savings Bank picked up a counterfeit U.S. $5 note #B66465090A, Lincoln Head; picture of Lincoln Memorial on back of note, from a depositor who can't remember where she got it. The note is a very poor imitation.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 29, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he arrested Joseph Lesterchick, 1116 East Second St. on a warrant charging him with the larceny of a large quantity of auto tools and auto parts to the amount of $236.00. Most of the tools have been recovered and are at Police Headquarters.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 29, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that in the company of Trooper Freeman of the State Police he interviewed and questioned Paul Richter 1126 East Second St. on the loss of a Cocker-Spaniel dog belonging to A. Anderson in Millington. He denied all knowledge of it and said that he was hunting all day in South Jersey when the dog was taken.

clerk McSmalley

Dec. 29, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mrs. Chas. Kurtzman who conducts a fur store at #200 Watchung Ave. informed him that an American woman came into his store on last Saturday and looked at several fur coats. One in particular seemed to please her but she left without agreeing to take it.

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Dec. 29, 1932 Today at 2:40 P.M. she came in again, tried the coat on and agreed to take it. Kurtzman put it in a box and allowed her to take it as she said she knew Mrs. Ford of Scotch Plains well and that if her Mother liked it she would send Kurtzman a check for $155-00, Mrs. Ford is well known to Kurtzman and has sent several customers to him. This woman said John Ford's name would be signed to the check. She gave her name as Alice Ford. Kurtzman went to Mrs. John Ford's house in Mountainview but she said she never heard of such a person. Mr. John Ford has been dead for over a year. Kurtzman feels now that he has been swindled of the coat. It is of racoon skin and has a greyish brown lining. It is valued at $155-00. He describes the woman as an American, 32 years old, medium build, coarse dark skin, dark brown curly hair (bobbed long) wearing a black seal jacket, brown hat of soft material, brown alligator pumps, print dress, mostly brown, and with a rather large black stone ring on her little finger. He thinks he has seen this woman around the City several times before.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 30, 1932 Detective Eugene McGarry reports that he and Captain Lorenzh arrested Lena High, colored, on complaint of Louis Christianson of Silver's 5 & 10 cent store from Watching Ave. and E. Front St. Charged with shoplifting.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 30, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Garry reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty at the banks and business section

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 30, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that Mrs. Frances Dellolio of 219 Somerset St. informed him that she lost her black, envelope style pocketbook in the business section during the afternoon. She had been in Silver's five & ten cent store and Montgomery-Ward's and he notified the managers to be on the lookout for it. It contained a two dollar bill, a dollar in change and miscellaneous papers and addresses.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 30, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that he assisted Chas. Kurtzman in an endeavor to locate a valuable racoon coat that was obtained from him under false pretenses. This coat was taken from his store by a woman who gave the name of Alice Ford of Scotch Plains. She told Kurtzman to come to Ford's house after 5:00 P.M. and get a check for the sale price of $150.00. When Kurtzman went to Ford's he learned that no one was known there by that name. This woman was about 35 years old, 5'4" tall, medium build, dark brown curly hair (bobbed long) and wearing a brown hat, black sealskin coat, brown shoes and a long oval block stone ring on her small finger. Mr. Kurtzman thinks he has seen the woman numerous times on the street in town.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 30, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mr. Caesar Drobe of 942 W 3rd St. that sometime during the night his store was ~~robbed~~ entered by the rear window and two dozen oranges and 40 cents in money stolen. The window in the rear was unlocked and protected by a screen. The screen was pried loose and entrance made through the window.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 30, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he went through our pawn shop cards and tried to locate a wedding ring supposed to have been pawned here and stolen from Mrs. M. Wood, Roosevelt Ave. Cranford. Was unable to locate it.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 30, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that for the remainder of the day he was on duty in various parts of the City and found conditions quiet.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 31, 1932 Detective Eugene Mc Garry reports that he was on duty at the banks and the business section from 8:00 A.M. to 10 P.M.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 31, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mr. Frank Menditto 1016 E. Second St. that sometime during the night his store was entered by someone prying the padlock from the rear door. About $10.00 in change was stolen from the cash register. This is the third time the same thing has occurred in the past two months but Menditto did not report it before.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 31, 1932 Detective Sergeant Daniel J. Dray reports that he investigated a report made by Mrs. Sophia Frankel of # 51 Summit Ave. N. Plainfield, N.J. that about 9:30 P.M. a man came to her store at # 8 Somerset St. and made a purchase, handing her a dollar when she opened the cash drawer to make change he pointed a gun at her and told her to keep quiet. He then walked to the cash drawer and took about $32.00 from it. Mr. Frankel was in the rear of the store and did not know what was going on but Theodore Frankel age 16 years was there and saw the man. After the man went out Mr. Frankel and his son Theodore followed the man down Somerset St. until he went into Griffen's Alley. There they lost trace of him. Mrs. Frankel described the man as about 20 to 22 years old, 5'11" tall, about 165 lbs. wore a brown soft hat, gray overcoat and was either Irish or German descent. Made a search in the vicinity but could not locate him.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 31, 1932 Detective John V. Denny reports that along with several other officers he investigated a call from Mrs. Sophie Frankel at 9:36 P.M. that she had been held up and robbed a few minutes previously by a man in her basement store at #8 Somerset St. She told him that while her husband was in the rear of the store and out of sight of the front of it, a young man came into the store and asked to buy a pair of leather gloves. He paid her a dollar for them and then after moving a few steps away, suddenly turned and pointed a worn black revolver at her and told her and her son Theodore, 16 years old who was standing near her to hand over the money. She gave him what was in the cash drawer or about $32.00. The thief appeared very nervous and shaky and after taking the money ran up the steps to the sidewalk and turned down Somerset St. toward North Plainfield. Mr. Frankel heard his wife scream after the thief ran, and came out from the back of the store. He saw the man running down Somerset St. and started after him. The man turned into the alley alongside of Driffen's Hardware Store and ran through back of Rosenbaum's store toward Watatung Ave. That was the last seen of him. Mrs. Frankel describes him as 5'11" tall, 22 yrs. old, medium build, wearing a gray check overcoat and a brown soft hat. She thinks that he has been in the store a few times before. Among the money taken was a Sesquicentennial fifty cent piece, two silver dollars, an old style (large) dollar bill, two five dollar bills and the rest in one dollar bills and change. Mr. Leiger Frankel lives at #51 Summit Ave. N. Plainfield. No one around was able to give a description of the man.

Clerk McSmalley

Dec. 31, 1932 Detective John N. Denny reports that he assisted Trooper Gearon of the State Police in questioning a girl from the telephone office regarding an accident on highway #29 several months ago.

Clerk McDonalley